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## Remains found at development

HUMAN remains have been found at Taylor Wimpey's housing development site in Saxon Street.

Police were called at 11.20am on Tuesday to reports that bones, believed to be arms and legs, had been found by contractors working on the new Heathley Chase development.

An archaeologist attended the site to confirm the bones were human and assess their age.

A Taylor Wimpey spokesman said: "The area was cordoned off while a full investigation was carried out and it has emerged that the remains are many decades old."

There will be no further police involvement and officers left the scene yesterday.

# Police hunting for two machete gangs in city

BY ANNA MAUREMOOTOO

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**TWO machete wielding gangs are on the loose in Milton Keynes, forcing their way into houses and attacking occupants.**

Last Tuesday, four black men in their mid-twenties carrying bats and a machete ran into a house in Farthing Grove, Netherfield, at about 6.13pm after a woman answered the door to them.

They searched the house and took a mobile phone and when the woman's boyfriend confronted them they began attacking him before leaving on foot.

The victim was left with injuries to his arm and head and was treated at Milton Keynes General Hospital. He has since been discharged.

This attack is similar to an incident that happened in November when two men armed with machetes forced their way into a house in Tolcarn Avenue, Fishermead.

In this case, the burglars threatened a family, including two teenage boys and a three-year-old girl, and demanded cash and jewellery.

Nobody has been arrested for either incident and police are not linking the two aggravated burglaries.

Eamon Bobey from Netherfield Residents' Association said: "It's a bit of a shock, we haven't had much of a problem with violence in the area.

"These sorts of things happen for a number of reasons and sadly these days it doesn't take much.

"Obviously people will be worried but it's not common for people to be attacked in their homes and I imagine the police and PCSOs will be out on the streets monitoring the situation."

Joyce Hall, councillor for Netherfield on Woughton Parish Council, thinks that since there was a similar incident in Fishermead, it is likely that the gang came from a different area.

She said: "We don't have much of a problem with violence so they must have come from elsewhere into the area to do what they came to do."

Anyone with information about these incidents is urged to call Detective Constable Greg Hughes on the non-emergency number 101, or Crimestoppers, anonymously, on 0800 555 111.

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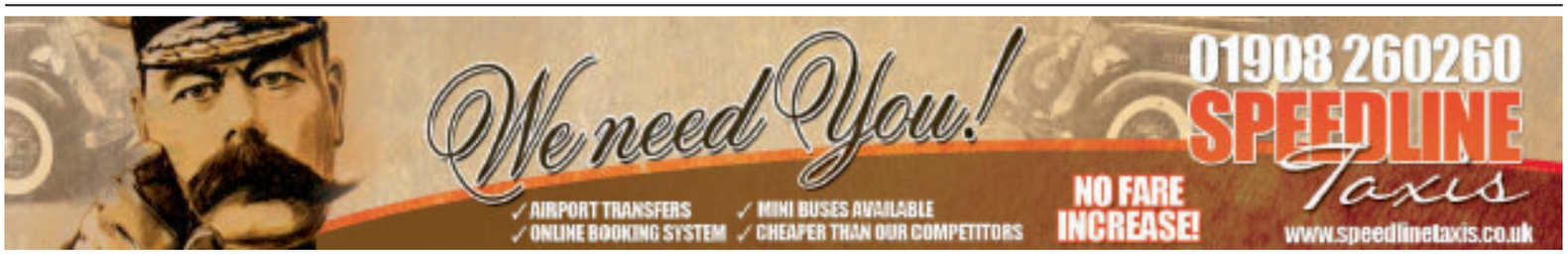

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On the set: Joey and his owner Albert in the film War Horse

# Horse walks down the red carpet

CELEBRITIES attended the premiere of Steven Spielberg's War Horse, including Milton Keynes' own equestrian star.

The horse from The Devils Horseman, Wychwood Stud, Mursley, trotted down the red carpet in Leicester Square, central London, on Sunday.

The film, based on a novel by Michael Morpurgo, tells the story of Albert who enlists to serve in the First World War after his beloved horse, Joey, is sold to the cavalry.

Several horses played the role of Joey in the film.

Bobby Lovgren, head horse trainer on the set, said: "Quite honestly there is, in my mind, no one hero horse, they were all heroes because they had such unique parts to play in all of the different sequences and all of it was very difficult."

Kate Fowler, head of campaigns at Animal Aid said: "The War Horse story, which has resonated with so many people, is a poignant and timely reminder of the fate of millions of animals drawn unwittingly into human conflicts."

Readers wishing to find out more about the use of horses in war should contact Animal Aid.

War Horse will be in cinemas from Friday.

# Council has wind in sails for High Court

BY ADAM GRINSELL
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**A LEGAL challenge has been launched at the High Court by Milton Keynes Council (MKC) against the controversial decision to grant a wind farm application.**

On November 15, the Planning Inspectorate gave RWE npower renewables permission to build 12 turbines near Lavendon.

The farm, which will be visible from the north of Milton Keynes, was originally refused as MKC and the two other local authorities objected to the application, but the decision was overturned on appeal.

Now MKC is challenging at the High Court on three grounds - the effect of noise on the surrounding properties, the visual impact and that the inspector 'made a mistake' with his use of regional renewable energy targets.

MP for Milton Keynes North, Mark Lancaster, has already been outspoken about the farm in Parliament and the fact the appeal decision was made the day before the Localism Bill was ratified - if it had been made 24 hours later, the refusal would likely have been upheld.

He said: "I fully support the council having already raised the issue with the Prime Minister in Parliament. It seems ridiculous that the decision was made the day before the Localism Bill was ratified."

Neither Wellingborough or Bedford Borough councils will be offering financial support to the legal challenge.

## Extra trains to ease journeys

VIRGIN Trains has announced it will have more services stopping at Milton Keynes Central from London Euston in the evenings.

The 6.43, 7.10 and 7.20pm trains will now all be stopping.

MP Iain Stewart, a member of the Parliamentary transport select committee, said: "These extra stops will definitely ease congestion in the evenings for commuters from London. I hope more stops will be announced to ease congestion in the mornings too."

## Homes and unemployment in spotlight at authority's meeting

**THE possibility of building council houses was due to be discussed at a meeting last night.**

**In order to meet a rising demand for properties, Milton Keynes Council was going to discuss starting a new building programme and putting in place a timescale for new builds.**

**Rising unemployment was also on the agenda for the full council meeting. Young adults aged 20-24 are more than twice as likely to be unemployed than other age groups. There are nearly 200 vacancies but employers cannot find people with the right skills so the council was due to discuss increasing school leavers' skill levels.**

**A deputation, signed by 20 Milton Keynes residents, had also been submitted to the meeting, expressing concerns about putting a casino near Xscape and the effect it would have on the local community.**

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# ‘Lovely’ village is a top place to live

BY ADAM GRINSELL
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**WESTON Underwood is officially the best place to live in the borough.**

The small village, to the north of the city and just west of Olney, has taken the top spot in the latest annual Social Atlas produced by Milton Keynes Council, a statistical analysis of the city’s estates, towns and villages.

The atlas, launched ten years ago, is produced by the council’s MK Observatory, which gathers data on a huge number of ‘social indicators’ under Government guidelines, including benefit uptake, incidents of violent crime and health factors.

The report then ranks all 111 areas of the borough from ‘worst off’ to the best, which according to the report highlights ‘the extent of social exclusion in Milton Keynes and its concentration in particular areas, with a view to targeting areas to improve local services and community networks’.

Jenny Carlisle moved to Weston Underwood with her husband in August and says they love living there. She said: “The appearance of the village is great and the location between the city and Olney is perfect.

“It’s a beautiful, lovely place to live and the people are so welcoming. We absolutely love it here, it’s really nice.”

The village was ranked at the top as it scored zero in the majority of its scores for factors such as violence against a person, criminal damage and non-uptake of nursery places.

**Best place to live: The village of Weston Underwood came out on top in the 2011 Social Atlas**

The Netherfield estate, meanwhile, took the unwanted top spot in the chart of the places with the most issues.

According to the report, contributing factors include 565.1 per 1,000 dwellings claiming housing and council tax benefit in May 2011 and there were 408.8 pupils per 1,000 having free school meals in March 2011.

In England, the Milton Keynes district ranks 211 out of 326, with one being the most deprived

■ If you want to find out how your estate, town or village ranks, see the full list at www.mk-news.co.uk.

| BEST PLACES TO LIVE | ‘WORST’ PLACES TO LIVE |
|---|---|
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| 2. Lathbury | 2. Coffee Hall |
| 3. Haversham/Little Linford | 3. Beanhill |
| 4. Calverton | 4. Water Eaton |
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### Reverend made Canon

THE Bishop of Oxford has appointed the Minister of Saint Andrew’s Church, Great Linford, an honorary Canon. The Rev Peter Ballantine is being honoured for his ministry as team vicar of Stantonbury and Willen. He said: “It came as a bolt from the blue and I feel very honoured.” He will be honoured in a service at Christ Church in Oxford on Saturday. He added: “There is a coach load from the church coming to support me on Saturday and I am very moved.”

### Knife gang storm home

A MAN was cut with a knife by a gang of five men wearing balaclavas in a burglary at his home in Gunver Lane, Tattenhoe on Saturday. He was forced to the floor and had his hands tied up, before the men stole a mobile and a knife. Anyone with information should call police on 101.

### Pair appear in court

TWO men charged with the GBH of a police officer in an incident on New Year’s Day are due to reappear before Aylesbury Crown Court for a hearing on March 21. Ashley Barber, 29, of Carron Court, Bletchley, and Dale Whiteside, 31, of Pinders Croft, Greenleys, were at the same court for a hearing on Monday.

# Plumber’s community order

A PLUMBER who put a householder at risk by illegally installing and working on a gas boiler has been given a three-month community order.

Trading as C&H Services, Christopher Johnson, 45, of Bogart Place, Oxley Park, installed a new gas boiler in a kitchen in Dunstable in April 2010.

He was called back to the house in October 2010 after the resident complained of a banging noise.

Johnson said it needed a new part and left the boiler with its casing off but still connected to the gas supply.

The resident then called the manufacturer, which classified it as ‘immediately dangerous’ and disconnected the supply.

An engineer from Gas Safe also confirmed there were immediately dangerous defects.

The investigation also found Johnson was not registered with Gas Safe, so was working illegally.

At Luton Magistrates’ Court on Monday, Johnson pleaded guilty to breaching regulations 3(1) and 3(3) of the Gas Safety Regulations 1998. He was also ordered to pay £475 costs.

# Man hit by car after argument

**A 22-YEAR-OLD man was hit by a car after getting into an argument with the driver on Friday.**

**The incident happened outside Heronsgate Middle School in Lichfield Down, Walnut Tree, at about 7.45pm.**

**The victim was a passenger in a black Toyota Yaris, which stopped in the road as he wanted to buy some cigarettes.**

**When he left the car he was involved in a collision with the same vehicle, which resulted in him going over the bonnet.**

**He suffered cuts to his hands and a graze to his hip.**

**A 44-year-old woman has been arrested in connection with the incident and has been released on bail until February 4.**

**PC Seb Rusell, who is investigating the incident, said: “We believe this to be a domestic related incident. Although we have made an arrest we still need to speak to witnesses and anyone with any information should contact me urgently.”**

**Witnesses should call 101.**

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## Tribute to Alan Turing

SIR - The British Government has at last recognised the contribution made by the mathematician and Second World War codebreaker Alan Turing at Bletchley park.

Mr Turing worked as part of the team that cracked the Enigma code at Bletchley Park and he went on to help to create the world's first modern computer and this year marks the centenary of his birth.

He is one of the ten prominent people chosen for the Royal Mail's Britains of Distinction stamps, to be launched next month, which he fully deserves.

In fact Mr Turing has made Bletchley Park known at an international level for the work done by his team during the Second World War.

It is very sad that he killed himself over his homosexuality as at the time this was illegal.

In 2009 the then Prime Minister Gordon Brown issued an unequivocal apology for the treatment to Mr Turing, describing it as 'horrifying' and 'utterly unfair'.

Mr Brown was fully justified in stating that the British society owed him a huge debt.

Since homosexuality is not considered an offence anymore, it is time for the British Government to pardon Mr Turing posthumously and squash his conviction for gross indecency.

The Government has recognised the importance of the contribution made by Bletchley Park by giving it a grant towards its renovation. Some of the huts are in a depleted condition. Instead of houses being built inside Bletchley Park, the Government should have created a technological park for the development of engineering and computer science.

**Arun Vaidyanathan**
**Sent by e-mail**

■ For more on how the 100th anniversary of Mr Turing's birth is being celebrated and his commemorative stamp, turn to page 24.

## Thanks for the support

SIR - Wolverton and Stony Stratford Rotary Club wishes to convey its sincere thanks and appreciation to all the members of the public who gave so generously to our Santa Tour around northern Milton Keynes and nearby villages during December.

Despite some cold and wet weather, this year's Santa Tour raised the wonderful sum of £6,232, which was £700 up on last year, in just 15 days and this will be distributed to various local charities and voluntary organisations at a special presentation evening that the club will be holding in February.

Our special thanks also go to all those who helped our members with the collections and to the management and staff of Budgens in Stony Stratford and Sainsbury's in Central Milton Keynes for allowing us to collect at their stores.

Our thanks again to everyone.

**Rotarian Malcolm Poulter**
**Float organiser, Wolverton and Stony Stratford Rotary Club**

## Put your lights on

SIR - They may be only a small minority, but they are a grave danger just the same.

I cannot believe that when a man or woman trains to become the holder of a driving licence that they do not read somewhere of the duty to switch their vehicle's lights on after dark if they are using it on a road even for a short while.

In view of the fact that along part of the H6 and doubtless other roads as well the street lights are switched off at night, allegedly in the name of saving electricity, this duty is even more incumbent on night drivers.

Sadly, I have observed a few drivers who apparently think they have a night vision that other humans haven't got actually driving without their car's lights on, even along the darkened sections of the said road.

Drivers, wake up!

A ton and a half of metal and glass is a deadly weapon, which is why you have to go through such a seemingly onerous process of being licensed to use one on a public road.

While I claim no special knowledge of the law, I understand causing death by careless driving of any kind to be a crime warranting removal of such a licence.

Either these careless twits must learn to switch their lights on before setting off, or else they must be adjudged unfit to be allowed behind the wheel of a car.

**Barry Gowland**
**Penryn Avenue, Fishermead**

## Efforts are appreciated

SIR - I am writing on behalf of the NSPCC in Milton Keynes to thank your readers for their support over the last 12 months.

The NSPCC relies heavily on the support of local people in order to provide its services for children and their families and we really do appreciate the efforts that people go to.

I would also like to ask readers when thinking about their New Year resolutions, to consider supporting ChildLine during its 25th anniversary year, a service dedicated to making a fundamental difference to the lives of vulnerable children and young people in Milton Keynes and throughout the UK.

Whatever skills, talent or time people have available the NSPCC could put them to good use to help support these vital services and help continue the charity's work in 2012.

This year we are making a special appeal to people in Milton Keynes to enter our Step Change 2012 challenge on March 4 and race up the iconic Gherkin building in London in a bid to raise funds for ChildLine.

Anyone wishing to find out more about the NSPCC, or how they can support us, should contact their local fundraising team on 01908 328060, or log on to www.nspcc.org.uk.

**Sally Phipps**
**Milton Keynes community fundraising manager**
**NSPCC**

# Jon Brett's City Life

His fortnightly column written exclusively for MK NEWS

## In my dreams I'm a rock and roll star

WHEN I was growing up, I wanted to be Paul McCartney.

In fact, the first gig I went to was Wings at Wembley Arena in 1979.

However, by the time I was 16, I wasn't even in a band and I realised the reason I hadn't 'made it' wasn't because I hadn't found my John Lennon, but because I had no musical talent.

So I put my dream of becoming a stadium-filling artiste on hold and embarked on a career in journalism instead.

But I still hung on to that fantasy and over the years indulged my guilty pleasure by seeing artists like Neil Diamond at the NEC, Genesis at Wembley Stadium, I even grabbed Billy Joel's ankle while he was on stage at the MGM Grand in Las Vegas and saw Frank Sinatra's final performance at the Royal Albert Hall. But it was in 1996 that I finally got a taste of what I was missing when I introduced Bon Jovi and support acts on stage at the National Bowl in front of 65,000 fans. Truly awesome!

Linda and Paul McCartney in Wings

Pandora's box had been opened, but still the talent eluded me and oblivion called. But every now and again something would inspire me to chase the dream; when Nickelback released the song Rockstar, I thought they'd written it for me.

And when I saw Bryan Adams at the 02 last month, singing Summer Of 69 at the top of my voice, I believed I sounded better than him. I didn't.

But when I sang Johnny Cash's Folsom Prison Blues in front of 250 people on stage, karaoke-style, in the amphitheatre at the all-inclusive Turkish resort I went to for my summer holiday, I knew this was my Wembley.

And so, dear reader, the moral of this story is this; don't let life get in the way of your dreams . . . and know your audience. Thank you Wembley, and good night.

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Concerned: Resident Luit Hazarika says the plans are not what he and other homeowners bought in to

# 'Trashed' houses plan causes upset

BY ADAM GRINSELL
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**RESIDENTS in a new green estate in the west of the city have accused the site's developers of 'trashing' its original plans.**

Those already living in the new development of Oxley Park East, part of Oxley Woods near HMP Woodhill, are angry at developer Taylor Wimpey's plans for 26 new houses opposite their homes.

They say the proposals would mean the estate they 'bought in to' will change, including its green ethos.

Approval has already been given for 23 houses of the same specifications as those already there, but a new application has been submitted for 26 homes to be built to a different design.

The current residents say the developer has not committed to the same eco specifications as their houses, such as heat recovery systems and fresh air filters.

Luit Hazarika has lived there since 2008 and would have these houses built opposite his home.

He said: "We live in an eco-housing development designed by famous architects Rogers Stirk Harbour and Partners.

"It was meant to be the same design all the way through. We all bought in to that.

"Taylor Wimpey don't want to follow through with the original design, so they've commissioned an architect to do something similar but not the same.

"That's not what I envisaged when I bought my house."

A blog called Oxley Woods Living, written by another resident of the development, has accused Taylor Wimpey of making an 'official move to trash Oxley Woods plans'.

A company spokesman said: "We have now submitted a planning application for the final two phases of 26 homes at our Oxley Woods development in Milton Keynes.

"This application has been drawn up following extensive consultation with local residents and stakeholders and we will now follow the statutory planning process."

They did not comment on the eco aspects of the homes.

## MKNEWS BRIEFS

### Writer at new library

AUTHOR Josephine Cox, one of the most borrowed writers in the UK, is due to appear at the opening of Woburn Sands' new library. The current facility will be closing on Saturday, January 21, and the town's new library at the Institute will be opened on Saturday, February 4, with an opening ceremony and a visit from the author from 10am.

### Car launch at show

THECENTRE:MK'S Motor Show returns on January 19 to 22 when Hyundai will launch its new Veloster model, not on sale until February. There will be a mix of classic and modern cars, with all exhibitors, including Lexus, showcasing several vehicles. Specialist staff will be on hand to give information and discuss test drives and pricing.

### Fire in eighth floor flat

FIVE fire teams tackled an eighth-floor kitchen blaze at Chelsea House in the city centre on Monday morning. No-one was injured in the fire.

# Rent rise is challenged

A PROPOSED council house rent rise of 6.1 per cent was due to be challenged at a meeting last night.

Both Labour and Liberal Democrat councillors offered alternatives to the Conservative proposal to raise the rents for the 14,000 council homes to about £83.08 per week.

Labour was expected to propose a rise of four per cent instead.

Steve Coventry, who is a Labour councillor and a council tenant, said: "It's becoming increasingly difficult to access council housing and to start to hit people with massive increases in rent means they are going to go short elsewhere, like winter clothing or putting food on the table."

The Liberal Democrats proposed an increase of £3.18 per week - £1.70 less than the Conservative proposal.

Lib Dem leader Sam Crooks said: "The increase is grossly unfair, it is well above the rate of inflation for this coming year."

# Borrow scooter from Lions

**WHEELCHAIR users are being offered a free loan of a Swift Mobility scooter.**

**The scooter was donated to Stony Stratford Lions Club by member John Jessop. Currently the club has two other scooters which it loans out.**

**President of the club, Verdun Webley, said: "The two that are out on loan are well used. One of the users can now take himself out and go to church and he doesn't have to rely on people pushing him."**

**People interested should contact Stony Stratford Lions and explain their situation and it will assess each case. There is not a strict limit on how long a user could borrow it for.**

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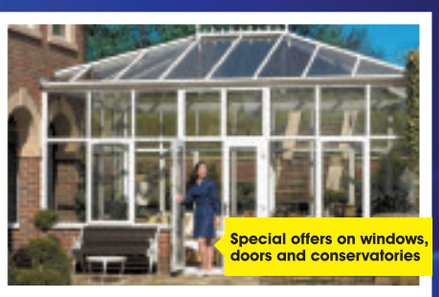

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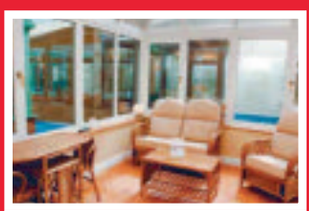

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# Legal battle over cruise virus claim

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**COUPLES from the Milton Keynes area are among nearly 150 people who have launched legal action against a cruise firm over claims they caught the highly contagious norovirus on voyages 'from hell'.**

Law firm Irwin Mitchell has issued the high court writ against Fred Olsen Cruise Lines Limited after passengers said they fell ill thanks to poor hygiene on the ship Boudicca.

It is alleged that people were struck down with a range of symptoms, including diarrhoea, vomiting, stomach pains and fever, on nine voyages between October 2009 and April 2010.

Some passengers claim that they were served undercooked, lukewarm food on the luxury liner, on which cruises can cost thousands of pounds, and others say their cabins were not cleaned properly, with soiled bed linen left out in the corridors.

Derek and Marina Eaton, from Woburn Sands, are one of the couples from the area involved in the lawsuit after they paid for a two-week Christmas cruise to Madeira and the Canary Islands in 2009.

Legal action: Derek and Marina Eaton were on the Boudicca in 2009

The other couple is Frederick and Winifred Roberts from Hodge Lea.

Mr Eaton, 77, said: "It was the cruise from hell.

"People were emptying their bowels in the theatre, it was just badly handled by Fred Olsen.

"We ended up missing three of the six islands we were supposed to see and spent New Year's Eve sick in our cabin.

"My wife had it worse, it really is a horrible virus."

A spokesman for Fred Olsen said the firm 'entirely refuted' the claims.

They said: "We reject utterly any allegations made in the claim by Irwin Mitchell solicitors, as we have all along, regarding the standards of cleanliness and hygiene aboard our ships, which are of the highest quality across its fleet. These very serious allegations are baseless."

## MKNEWSBRIEFS

### Hotel plans appeal

THE developers planning to convert a hotel into a 50 bed nursing home in Woburn Sands have appealed the decision to give them only six months to start work. The owners of Greens Hotel in Russell Street, which will house the controversial development, say they should have been granted a three year extention after the time limit on their application expired.

### Park car to help youths

A NEW car park is now open to rail commuters close to Milton Keynes Central railway station. The Buszy has opened its car park at the former bus station off V6 Grafton Gate, opposite MK Central, with a daily rate of £5, or four weeks for £80. All profits will be reinvested into paying for activities for young people in the city.

### £1k wish comes true

THANKS to visitors to Blechley Agora's Santa's grotto before Christmas, £1,020 was raised for the Make A Wish Foundation, which grants wishes to children and young people fighting life-threatening conditions.

### Electrifying advice

THE fire service is urging people to take care of their electrical equipment to avoid becoming an unwelcome statistic. Faulty or misused electrical equipment caused more than 200 fires in homes in Buckinghamshire and Milton Keynes last year, which led to 26 injuries.

# Stats show MK Home Run

**STATISTICS detailing the hugely successful Red Bull Home Run event have been released.**

**On Saturday, December 10 about 60,000 people lined Midsummer Boulevard to catch a glimpse of their Formual 1 heroes Sebastian Vettel and Mark Webber speed along the streets in celebration of the team's double championship-winning season.**

**The crowds helped increase footfall at thehub:mk by 400 per cent on the day, with 10,000 people visiting, and 123,705 people went to thecentre:mk.**

**Footfall at Midsummer Place represented one quarter of that of the whole week.**

**Hotel occupancy in Central Milton Keynes was almost 100 per cent for December 9 and 10.**

**Twenty thousand people visited Destination MK's website on December 9 and 10, compared with about 17,000 in a normal month.**

**The Red Bull Home Run page on Milton Keynes Council's (MKC) website was visited by people from 579 cities in 33 countries. There were 12,590 downloads of MKC's online Red Bull Event map.**

**MKC chief executive David Hill said: "The event was a resounding success for residents, visitors, businesses, Red Bull and the council. It has cemented Milton Keynes' position as a serious city with a lot to offer, which continues to do things differently – things that get us noticed, and most importantly things that work."**

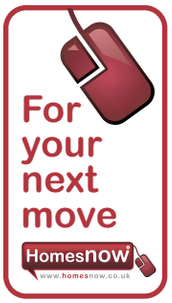
# Green Party speaks out against rise in rail fares

THE Green party has spoken out about increasing train fares above the rate of inflation.

Season tickets to London have risen by about 6.5 per cent and the party believes it is unfair households are having to pay hundreds extra for commuting when few have had a pay increase.

Alan Francis, the Green Party's national transport speaker and MK Green member, *pictured*, said: "The privatised railway costs more to operate and so fares are higher. The fare increases by the train companies are passed straight back to the Government.

"The railways need to be brought back into public ownership so that we can have better services and lower fares."



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| Wed | | Early Morning Swim | | School Lessons | | Aqua Natal | Public Swim* | | Ladies Only | Over 50's | Swim Lessons | | Public Swim | | Aqua Fit | Adults Only |
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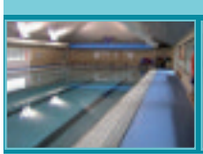

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# Delayed gateway has roof updated

Scaffolding: The Coachway

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**FOLLOWING funding and drainage problems that led to a two-year delay for the opening of the gateway to Milton Keynes, part of the roof is now having to be replaced.**

Before Christmas huge scaffolding was erected inside the Coachway next to junction 14 of the M1 after owner National Express decided the glass panels in the roof needed to be replaced because of 'structural reasons'.

A spokesman for the coach company said: "The glazing is being replaced with a solid roof. This is to replace the glass panels. The area is safely secured with scaffolding and the replacement will be completed in three to four weeks."

When asked why the replacement was taking place, the spokesman told MK NEWS the company felt solid panels would work better in the long-term.

They said: "Following a routine assessment of the roof we decided to replace around ten per cent of the glazing for structural reasons.

"We have invested in solid panels as they provide better long-term durability and the area is safely secured with scaffolding to allow maintenance to take place."

The company would not comment on how much the work was costing, but said checks had taken place within the first 12 months as with any new building.

The Coachway was finally handed over to National Express to run in December 2010 after a two-year delayed opening.

The original Coachway was demolished in early 2008, with the new £2.6 million building due to be completed in January 2009, but a shortfall in funding delayed the construction to spring 2010. 'Additional drainage investigation', contract wrangles and bad weather further delayed the opening.

Milton Keynes Council handed the project over to the Homes and Communities Agency in September for the final fit-out before completion.


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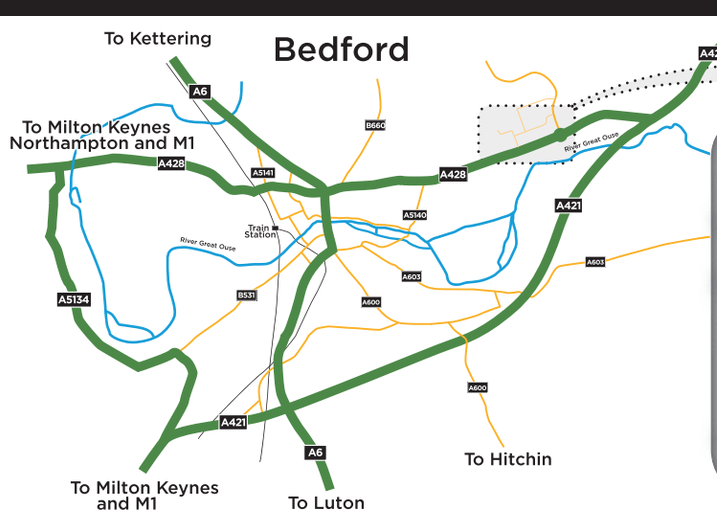

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# Summer rioters put behind bars

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**TWO rioters have been sent to prison after they were found guilty of an act of violent disorder.**

Jake Ashby, 19, of Kinloch Place, *pictured top*, pleaded guilty to the offence at Aylesbury Crown Court on Tuesday last week and was sentenced to 16 months in prison.

Paul Hanley, 25, of Waterside, Peartree Bridge, *pictured bottom*, pleaded not guilty to the offence but was convicted on Wednesday last week and he was sentenced to 15 months in prison.

Thanks to the weight of evidence against him, the jury took just an hour to find him guilty.

The pair were part of a group of about 20 men and youths who took part in widespread disorder in Bletchley between August 9 and 10 last year.

Both men were arrested on August 9.

Acting Detective Inspector Kelly Glister: "We are extremely delighted; a lot of hard work has gone into this.

"We told the community and public that we would do our very best to convict all we could and all those we arrested have been convicted."

The police are still urging the public to come forward if they have any information that would help catch the outstanding people.

Acting DI Glister added: "We are starting to round up our bit, but if you do have information come forward and we will look at it.

"We've got the majority of the main players and hopefully the public will be pleased.

"I think overall we are extremely satisfied - I think in total now the combined sentence has been about 25 years."

During the riots the gang, dubbed the 'Mindless mob', swept through the streets of Milton Keynes and Bletchley, intimidating innocent people and attacking businesses as they left a wave of destruction behind them in copycat scenes of the London riots.


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# Groups to have say on planning future

BY ADAM GRINSELL
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**FOUR city neighbourhoods are using the new Localism Bill to their advantage and having their say on the future development of their areas.**

Groups in Wolverton, Stony Stratford, the Lakes Estate in Bletchley and Castlethorpe have been named as 'frontrunners' to test out the Neighbourhood Plan initiative, which was introduced as part of the Localism Bill.

This means the groups and the residents of those areas will now be able to have a say in how their community will develop in the future.

The groups will each put together a Neighbourhood Plan, which will set out their ideas for how their areas should be developed in the future, and a referendum on the plans will be held for residents in those areas.

This will then feed into Milton Keynes Council's overall Development Plan, which helps decision makers to grant or reject applications.

The Wolverton Steering Group is currently furthest along in this process and will be holding a meeting for residents on January 31 to discuss important developments in the town.

Neighbourhood Plan: Members of the Wolverton Steering Group

Marie Osborne, convener for the group, said: "At last this will bring together community aspirations with the planning system.

"The one thing that makes Wolverton less of a place than we want it to be is the town centre.

"We want to make the whole town centre very vibrant and that will be a focus of our plans.

"We will also focus on the Railway Lands area, between Stratford Road and Ouse Valley Park, which has the potential for huge development.

"We need to be in a position of having high-level decisions made about the aspirations for that site, because it has the potential to double the size of Wolverton.

"This is extremely exciting."

The Wolverton Steering Group will meet in St George's Church in the town between 7 and 8.30pm on January 31.

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# Park graffiti is costly

Graffiti: Rangers Rob Rieke and Susi Jensen with the damaged sign at Furzton Lake

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**THE charity which looks after the city's green spaces says thousands of pounds of its resources are being drained by 'thoughtless' graffiti and criminal damage.**

Now The Parks Trust's rangers and the police are hoping to crack down on the damage.

A water safety sign at Furzton Lake is the latest of a number of items, including benches and picnic tables, artworks and signage, that have been graffitied or damaged in the city's parks.

One dog walker who wished to remain anonymous described encountering another instance where black paint had been daubed on trees in Tattenhoe woods.

She said: "There's about six trees with big, black-painted upside down crosses and one has a black 666 - it's quite eerie.

"It's just not a nice feeling to see that kind of thing."

The Parks Trust, the self-financing charity that cares for Milton Keynes' parks and green spaces, has reported the damage to Thames Valley Police and will be monitoring the sites for further acts of criminal damage.

David Foster, chief executive at the trust, said: "Signs like the one at Furzton Lake provide important safety information and it's really disappointing that someone has thoughtlessly defaced it, covering up important contact numbers and information that can help save people's lives.

"Criminal damage also drains the trust's precious resources, using up funds that we would much rather spend on maintaining and improving Milton Keynes' parks for everyone to enjoy."

The trust is asking park users to be vigilant and to report any suspicious behaviour straight away to the police on 101, the new non-emergency number.

Sergeant Neil Taylor of Thames Valley Police said: "Whoever is writing these tags is wilfully defacing property and costing the people of Milton Keynes thousands of pounds in time and repair bills.

"It may be the case they don't realise just how much damage they are causing and how much time it takes to clean up, but it is important we get them to stop."

Meanwhile, the trust has plans to improve its facilities in Campbell Park by building a new 12 by 12 metre square stage with a permanent canopy as part of its amphitheatre.

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# Patient feels 'stuck in the middle' in bid to cure headaches

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**A MAN who had electrodes implanted on his brain in an attempt to treat chronic headaches has been left in constant pain after the equipment stopped working.**

Jeffrey Diggines, 55, from Wordsworth Drive, Bletchley, was one of the first in the UK to have Occipital Nerve Stimulation (ONS).

However, the internal apparatus is now faulty and although manufacturer, Medtronic, will supply a new kit it has refused to pay for the operation.

An operation to replace the battery would cost about £5,000 but the NHS will not fund the procedure in case the equipment fails again.

Mr Diggines said: "Everyone involved has washed their hands and are blaming each other.

"I'm stuck in the middle and I just don't know what to do."

Paying for the operation himself is not as an option as he would then be a private patient and the cost would increase.

Headache: Jeffrey Diggines after experimental operation to treat ONS

A spokesman for NHS Milton Keynes said: "Mr Diggines has been supplied with a complete explanation of why the panel decided not to fund this treatment."

Mr Diggines was diagnosed in 2000. He received the experimental treatment in 2005 and a new rechargeable battery was put in two years ago.

Mr Diggines said: "If I was a car and there was a problem with my engine they'd replace it."

Equipment failure has not been a common problem leaving Medtronic searching for answers.

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# Smoking ban man in MK Council bid

BY ADAM GRINSELL
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**THE man at the heart of a controversial proposal to ban smoking in the streets says he hopes he can represent his town on the borough council.**

Last summer, Stony Stratford town councillor Paul Bartlett, 50, proposed a motion that could eventually see smoking banned on the town's streets.

He has been working for the town for about 25 years, having previously represented it on the former district council for 16 years, finishing in 2006.

He will be re-running for the town council in May and now also wants to get back on to Milton Keynes Council with the Conservatives, and says he would love to represent Stony Stratford.

"I want to have the opportunity and I think now would be a good time," he said.

"I'm a decision maker and I like to stand up for what I believe in."

But does he think his smoking ban motion would hinder his chances?

He said: "I'm not worried about that - it's only one issue.

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Cllr Bartlett's smoking ban proposal is on the agenda for the next town council meeting on Tuesday at 7pm.

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# Memory training to help kids learn

BY ANNA MAUREMOOTOO
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**CHILDREN struggling at school can now improve their memory by learning techniques used by world champions.**

Memory and Mind is a new company set up by Chris Tyler, who currently works at the MK Christian Foundation as a project worker.

He uses tried and tested techniques to improve aspects of a child's learning such as spelling.

The link system method of remembering, which is used by memory champions like Derren Brown, is based on creating an association between the elements of a list.

Mr Tyler said: "A lot of children use different techniques to the ones they are taught at school.

"These methods use visualisation and imagination which you see used in the early stages of learning but not so much as children get older."

He has been using the techniques for the past six months and set up the company because he suffered from a terrible memory and found the methods he learnt really improved his situation.

**Training: Chris Tyler helps to improve struggling children's memories**

Although Mr Tyler will predominantly be focusing on helping children who are falling behind at school, classes are also available for adults.

He said: "In these uncertain times the more skills you can gain the better the chances you have of securing the job you want.

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# Nuisance calls are no laughing matter

BY DAN PALMER
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**TIME wasters have been risking lives by calling ambulances for 'emergencies' such as broken finger nails and difficulties changing a light bulb.**

A list of bizarre incidents has been released by the South Central Ambulance Service and although they may seem funny, they could prove to be fatal if paramedics are called away from the scene of an actual crisis.

Other inappropriate 999 calls have come from a woman who reported uncontrolled bleeding because of a popped spot, someone who wanted help finding their TV remote and a mother who told call centre staff a sick dog was her son.

One woman even told stunned medics that they were 'public servants and therefore there to serve her' when she rang to ask for a glass of water so she didn't have to get out of bed.

The service, which covers Milton Keynes, received 1,235 hoax calls and many more inappropriate ones in 2011 and it's no laughing matter for city-based Mark Begley, an emergency services manager.

Plea: Mark Begley has had to deal with a number of non-emergencies

He said: "The majority of the general public appreciate what we do, however, a small group of people don't think before they call.

"Sometimes people call us because their child has a cold or has fallen down and is crying, or because a friend has had too much to drink on a Friday night.

"Every minute for someone in a real emergency is vital so please think when calling."

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# Big-hearted Lions help Phoenix rise

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**A BASKETBALL club left devastated when wheelchairs for disabled players were stolen has been given a lift by the city's own hoop stars - who gave them a TV date.**

Callous crooks made off with 15 of the custom made chairs - which cost £1,000 each - in a cruel and heartless raid from a trailer last month.

Young players have been left heartbroken as they can no longer play their favourite sport but they have now highlighted their case on national telly thanks to the city's very own MK Lions.

The pro outfit sprung into action to help the Phoenix in their hour of need and allowed the club to take centre stage at Sunday's home game against Newcastle Eagles, which was filmed for Sky Sports and shown last night.

There was also a bucket collection and programme appeal and Phoenix players got the chance to demonstrate their skills during the half-time break.

Phoenix chairman Pete Bourgoine said: "The help from Milton Keynes Lions is great, I think it is a sign of the strength in the basketball community and for them to help us is fantastic."

**In action: Phoenix players at the MK Lions Arena.** Picture: F1 Point Zero.

Mr Bourgoine still holds out hope that their chairs may be recovered but the club, which includes MK-based players, is making plans for the future.

Lions chief executive Vince Macaulay had no doubt that the club's friends should be helped out and in front of the cameras was the perfect time to do it.

He said: "When this was brought to our attention we thought it was disgusting.

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MBE: Sheila Gurnett outside her first home in Duncombe Street, Bletchley

## An honour for Sheila who is awarded MBE

PROUD Bletchley girl, Sheila Gurnett, has been awarded an MBE for services to children and young people.

Mrs Gurnett, 70, has worked with a number of Girl Guide groups as well as being a teacher in the city.

She said: "With volunteering you get back so much more than you put in."

Rodney Corner was also awarded an MBE for services to the coroner's system.

# Homeless will be relocated to city

BY ANNA MAUREMOOTOO
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**HOMELESS families being housed outside of Milton Keynes is set to become a thing of the past.**

Peter Geary, member for housing at Milton Keynes Council, said he was pleased with progress the authority has made tackling the ongoing problem, particularly in the last six months.

He said: "We have a duty to house homeless families and we have to do that in whatever way is possible."

In the past this has meant housing families outside of the city.

MK NEWS reported last year that 25 of these families were being housed in areas as far away as Bedford.

However, there is now enough temporary housing stock to get all of the families living outside Milton Keynes back into the area, with excess accommodation available to cushion an influx of cases.

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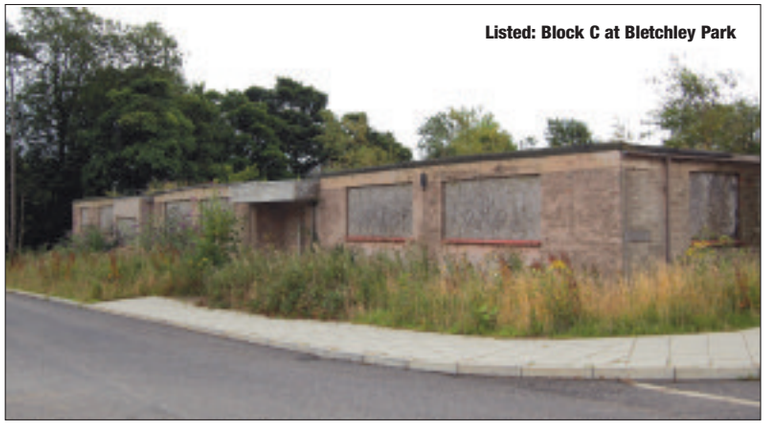

Listed: Block C at Bletchley Park

# Turing Year kicked off with listing

BY ADAM GRINSELL
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**ONE of the city's most historically famous buildings has been granted Grade II listed status by the Government.**

Block C at Bletchley Park was used by those who cracked the Enigma Code, which contributed to the allied victory in the Second World War, and on Friday it was announced by the Government's Department for Media, Culture and Sport it had been given the status.

Block C housed the site's first use of high-speed data processing machines on a large scale, greatly speeding up the code breaking work previously done by hand.

Its hardened exterior and soundproofing show the importance placed on protecting the Hollerith machines inside.

Speaking about his listing decision, Tourism and Heritage Minister John Penrose said: "It's important the fabric of the building as well as the history surrounding the work of so many people inside those four walls is protected for future generations, and Block C clearly merits the extra protection against unsuitable alteration or development that listing provides."

The block will form the centre of the Bletchley Park Trust's plans for redevelopment at the site, for which it is currently seeking to raise £1.7million matchfunding to unlock a Heritage Lottery Fund grant of £4.6million.

Chief executive officer of the trust, Simon Greenish, said: "The main thing is the listed status is a further endorsement of Bletchley Park as a site of national importance.

"As it's earmarked to turn into a world-class visitor centre as the first phase of the restoration masterplan, this is very appropriate.

"It will also do justice to the work that was done in the building."

Meanwhile, 2012 marks the 'Alan Turing Year' - 100 years since his birth.

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# Suzanne's recipe is perfect for July

A KEEN cook was more eager than most to put up her calendar this year - as she happens to be in it.

Suzanne Anderegg whipped up a delicious dish in the kitchen which earned her the right to be included for July.

The calendar has been released by supermarket giant Waitrose as part of their Love Life healthy eating contest.

Each month features a scrumptious good-for-you recipe. When Suzanne prepared her watermelon and feta salad in front of a special tasting panel it was ruled tasty enough to earn a place in the calendar.

The 43-year-old from Loughton - who has never entered a competition before and only did so after encouragement from ten-year-old daughter Anna - was stunned when she found out she was a national winner.

**Competition winner: Suzanne Anderegg with a copy of the calendar**

She said: "I was really shocked, I didn't really think that I would have a chance."

The recipe includes a rocket and spinach base, feta, watermelon and a dressing made from blended raspberries, balsamic vinegar and extra virgin olive oil

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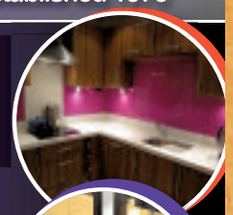

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The answer is of course yes – the new lower FiT payment of 21p per unit of generated electricity should mean that cost of having the panels installed is repaid in around 8-10 years – with FITs running for around 25 years this means that over the lifetime of the scheme you should expect over twice as much paid back as you spent in the first place – which isn't a bad rate of return!

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The official figure for energy price inflation was a massive 30% in real terms between 2005 and 2010 (source: House of Commons Library Research) and most of us have seen further rises between 10 and 20 percent this year. The International Energy Agency has forecast a 50% growth in global energy needs by 2030 – with most energy provided by finite sources such as fossil fuels and accounting for the huge capital costs of both building and cleaning up nuclear sources - most people are left with little doubt that the trend for increasing energy prices is set to continue.

Whilst it is often easy to put off making a decision don't forget that the plan has always been that FITs payments will be further reduced to new entrants in the future – so it is best to get in earlier meaning that your payments are locked on the highest possible tariff you can achieve for the duration of the scheme.

Furthermore, from April 2012 the Government are going to bring in their "Green Deal" legislation which means that in order to qualify for the scheme the Government insist that your home is a "C" level energy efficiency rating or above – which means you'll probably have to incur further expenditure for things such as cavity wall and loft insulation.

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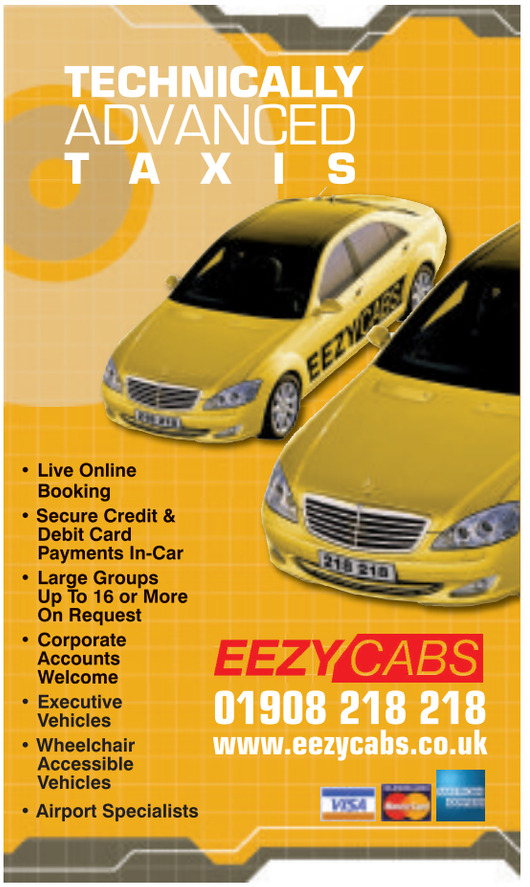

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Other highlights include courses on gardening for wildlife, beekeeping, hedge laying and tree identification.

Jess Smith, Events and Education Ranger at The Parks Trust, said: "Our Discover courses are a great opportunity to learn a useful new skill and we're particularly pleased that they are delivered by local Milton Keynes experts who feel passionately about their subjects, the environment and their local parks."

Running monthly throughout the year (except August) the courses represent great value for money from just £5 to £15 per person.

All the courses are very popular and get booked up far in advance so booking is essential. You can book online at www.theparkstrust.com or call us on 01908 255379 for more information or to reserve your place.

**Our full list of short courses and other events can be found in The Parks Trust 2012 Events Guide. To get your free copy of this year's guide, call The Parks Trust on 01908 255379, download a copy from the website www.theparkstrust.com or email events@theparkstrust.com.**

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School is not only a place of learning in terms of academia, but also in the social sense. School is an important part of your child's life, as they learn to mix with their peers and to make friends. Ask about the facilities such as after school care.

Speaking to the local authority helps too. League tables and exam results can give you a good reflection of the performance of a school. Asking children who already go to a particular school is a good way to get a grasp of what pupils think. It is surprising how unbiased and informative children can be.

Observe how teachers react with their pupils and if you can, don't hesitate to speak to parents who are picking their children up at the end of the day. If you explain your reasoning for asking they will be more likely to help, as they too will have been in the same situation. Lastly, and arguably most importantly, see how your child feels about the school. Take on board their comments and opinions. If they respond positively, they are more likely to have a positive experience.

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The Materials Recycling Facility in Old Wolverton has been bursting at the seams with pink sacks, so much so that recycling has been stockpiled in additional bays created to cope with the excess material while staff worked round the clock with additional shifts added at weekends to catch up.

On a normal weekday pink sacks and loose recycling are piled up on one side of the tipping floor and diggers work the floor scooping up the material onto the conveyor belts. But recently the tipping floor has been buried beneath mountains of recyclable material.

A very merry time was had by many it seems considering the additional amount of glass bottles and jars coming through the MRF. In a normal week, the MRF send off 28 tonnes of glass for processing every three days – currently this amount is leaving the facility every day.

Cllr David Hopkins, the council's Cabinet Member responsible for waste, said: "This is the time of year when traditionally we all create far more waste than at any other time, but we are delighted that so much of this additional waste is being recycled. We'd like to thank our residents for their increased efforts and also the staff at the MRF who are working so hard to process around double the usual weekly amount."

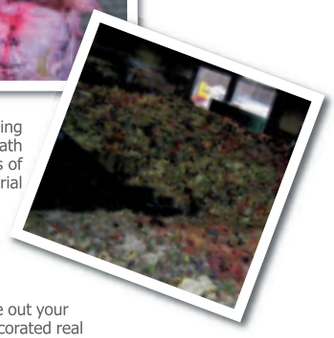
A spokesman for Viridor, which runs the MRF on the council's behalf, said: "All the materials will be sorted and processed into high quality recycled products helping create a more sustainable Christmas and 2012. We expect recycling levels to be back to normal by the end of January."

**When tidying away Christmas from your house don't forget you can:**

- Put Christmas cards in your pink sack
- Leave out your undecorated real Christmas tree by your green food and garden waste bin for collection
- Recycle both plastic and metal sweet tins if you don't want to keep them for storage
- Put aluminium mince pie cases, card and plastic packaging from food and toys in your pink sack

Revised refuse collection dates end this week with normal service resuming from Monday 16th January.

Residents are piling their pink sacks high making sure they recycle as much of their Christmas waste as possible.



The MRF's tipping floor buried beneath mountains of recyclable material

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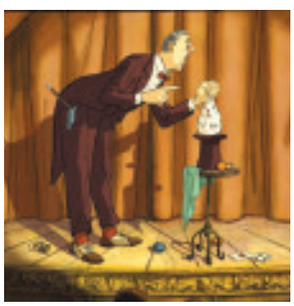

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## SIMON DARNELL

### PIXELATED PEOPLE

**Jess Mills**

SO HERE we are then - 2012 has arrived.

Do you remember Jess Mills? She's the one who reinvented The Cure's A Forest not long ago and, what's more, she did a sterling job of it too.

Turns out she can do her own songs too.

This has got a far fuller sound than A Forest had, but then that was always a fairly minimal sounding tune anyway.

Compared to that, this is, and I'm going to hate myself for typing this, a very radio-friendly song.

Thankfully, it's radio-friendly in a good way, not the sort that's been hacked down so it'll fit in between the news and an advert for carpet shops.

I'm going to recommend this one, which inevitably means that after a positive start there's only one way the rest of the year's musical output can go...

### SEVEN STARS

**Air**

DESPITE what you may have been expecting, that's upwards, at least for this week anyway. Makes a nice change, doesn't it?

Of course, it's highly likely that I'm in the minority for thinking Moon Safari wasn't that great and that Air did their best stuff afterwards, but this really is nothing short of majestic.

It sounds a bit doom-laden and miserable to begin with, however if you stick with it you'll find it's actually rather uplifting.

Well, I did anyway. In fairness, it's unlikely that the right hand side of the keyboard saw much action for this song, but the tune's underpinned by a bass guitar, a piano and a drummer who sounds like he's using the song to practice his drum rolls.

Honestly, what's not to like out of all that? Not much, I can tell you.

Blimey, I'm just filled with positive thoughts this week. It probably won't last, so let's enjoy it.

## WORKING MAN'S CLUB, CHANDOS PLACE, BLETCHLEY

### ROCK APOKOLIPS

Saturday, 6.30pm

FOLLOWING a series of successful promotions in 2011, Wake the Nation Radio (WTN) is once again bringing you some of the finest unsigned and newly signed bands to the live stage in the city.

Rock Apokolips 2012 is your opportunity to party like there's no tomorrow which, according to the Mayans, might not be too far-fetched.

This could very well be our last year on earth and that means the end of rock as we know it, so why not see in the beginning of the end of the world with some of the finest live rock acts on the circuit today.

Leighton Buzzard band the Rusty G's, a tight rock unit with high energy, and former Benny and the Razorblades frontman Craig Hudson will be the opening two acts.

The Sassy Judys hail from Milton Keynes, but they are now based in Guildford, so this could be their only 'local' gig of the year.

There's no denying that rock in London at the moment is reaching an all time high. With the Camden scene booming you can guarantee a good time.

WTN has set up something special - it has found the best of the best in Albany Down.

This blues rock four piece are hugely popular on the capital circuit so this is an ideal chance for you to catch them away from their home.

Rusty G's

As if that wasn't enough, closing the show will be StOp! from Barcelona, Spain.

This mind-blowing rock trio packed up their bags, sold their homes and all their belongings and bought a van to live out their dream of touring the world. Not a small feat.

Music after the show will be provided by DJ Don't Panic.

Entry costs £5, or £4 for apocalyptic fancy dressers. Over 16s only and those under 18 must be accompanied. Membership of the Working Men's Club is not required.

Further details are available at www.tinyurl.com/wtnradio.

## NEWPORT PAGNELL

TRANSVESTITE heavy metal loving comic Andrew O'Neill brings his show Alternative to The Cannon, Newport Pagnell.

The show is packed with actual jokes, fun and nonsense, proving that being 'alternative' might make Andrew different but it also makes him very funny.

Since his stint at the Edinburgh Fringe in 2009 with his critically acclaimed Occult Comedian, Andrew's career has gone from strength to strength seeing him as a guest panellist on Spicks & Specks (Australia's version of Never Mind The Buzzcocks).

Alternative explores why he has chosen to live as a vegan, anarchist, occultist and transvestite, rejecting the normal routes in life.

He tells tales of hitchhiking to gigs, living rent-free and practicing black magic, as well as his political views and how they inform and reflect his take on the world.

Already a huge hit in UK comedy clubs, Andrew has also headlined the Download Festival's Comedy Stage.

Tickets to the gig, on Sunday at 7pm, cost £5 from www.wegottickets.com/event/145611.

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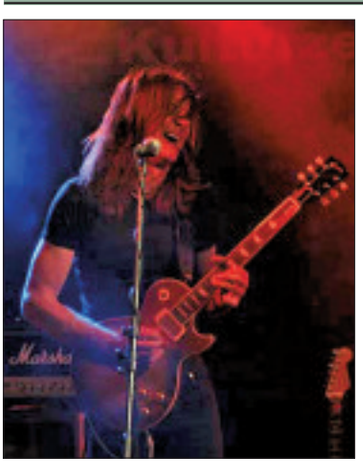

### LARRY MILLER

Saturday, January 21, 8pm

GUITARIST Larry Miller returns to The Stables after a triumphant gig there in 2011.

He is undeniably one of the must-see blues/rock acts. Larry is famous for his exciting, mesmerising guitar playing and rip roaring shows in the UK and around Europe.

He holds the record for the most encores at The Cambridge Rock Festival with an amazing seven in the Blues Tent - something he descibes as the best day of his life.

He has returned to the festival two years running to capacity crowds and standing ovations.

Listing The Beatles, Thin Lizzy, BB King and the Les Miserables musical among his influences, Larry started his career playing the violin, but after picking up his brother's guitar and writing a song that same day, he never looked back and taught himself to play.

If you like Rory Gallagher, Joe Bonamassa, Gary Moore, Walter Trout or Hendrix, you'll love the guitar pyrotechnics of Larry Miller.

He is currently working on his new album, On The Edge, which should be completed by the time he hits the stage at The Stables.

Tickets £14.50.

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BACK by popular demand, Strictly Come Dancing's Russell Grant will be returning to Milton Keynes Theatre as the magical Genie of the Lamp on Saturday.

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Camilla Dallerup will be the Genie at all the other performances. For tickets, costing £18-£32, visit www.atgtickets.com.

### OMID DJALILI - TOUR OF DUTY

Tuesday, 7.30pm

MULTI award-winning stand-up television and movie star, Omid Djalili, comes to Milton Keynes with his new comedy show, Tour of Duty.

The Chelsea born star first hit the comedy scene at the Edinburgh Festival and followed this up with a string of sell-out comedy shows.

Omid was the winner of the Best Actor Award for his lead performance in The Infidel at the Turin Film Festival and was short-listed for the Peter Sellers Award at the London Evening Standard British Film Awards.

Tickets cost £19. To book and for more information, visit www.atgtickets.com.

### MUSIC OF EMOTION - MILTON KEYNES CITY ORCHESTRA

Thursday, January 19, 6.30pm

CONDUCTOR Sian Edwards brings music from composers Beethoven, Tchaikovsky and Sibelius to the theatre.

Sian's recordings include Peter and the Wolf, Britten's Young Person's Guide, and Tchaikovsky's 5th Symphony, all with the London Philharmonic Orchestra and Judith Weir's Blond Eckbert with the English National Opera.

The event sees Moscow born Anna Liisa Bezrondny take a violin solo.

Anna-Liisa has worked with maestros such as Leif Segerstam, Nikolay Alekseyev, Eri Klas and Olari Elts.

There will be a pre-concert talk with Adrian Boynton held in the Napleton Room.

Tickets, costing £10-£32, can be booked by calling 01908 558311.

### LORD OF THE DANCE

January 20-22, 8pm

THE award-winning international dance phenomenon comes to Milton Keynes Theatre for one weekend.

Michael Flatley's Lord of the Dance continues to shatter box office records all over the world, leaving audiences breathless and clamoring for more.

The story, based on Irish folklore, is a classic tale of good versus evil, expressed through the universal language of dance.

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As this evil dark power challenges the hero, the incredible adventure continues, drawing its audience into a mythical universe of love, danger and desire.

This timeless production has thrilled audiences worldwide and continually establishes itself as the number one dance spectacular.

Tickets cost £30.50-£38.50.

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Omid Djalili

## PARK LIFE

MILTON Keynes' parks are bursting with a vibrant programme of sports, wildlife, arts and family events in 2012, with more than 200 events and activities taking place throughout the year.

Celebrating it's 20th anniversary, The Parks Trust has published its guide of events and highlights week-by-week activities to help you to get fit, develop a new skill or simply enjoy Milton Keynes' beautiful parks and green spaces.

This year's events include an open air Shakespearean production of Much Ado About Nothing and Roald Dahl's The Twits, a two-day festival dedicated to walking, regular doggy walks called Bark in the Park, the city's hugely popular open air cinema and a garden party in Campbell Park to celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee.

There's also the opportunity for people new to the city to join a park ranger and discover more about their local parks and the area they live in.

Each summer month the trust will introduce you to a different park and its local features. The walks and trails cost £1 per person and give you the opportunity to learn about your new home and meet new people.

The events guide includes plenty of activities to keep children occupied during the school holidays, including an Easter Bunny hunt, Frog Day, circus skills and a Spectacular Science event.

If you'd like to turnover a new leaf in 2012 then your local park activities could be the solution.

There are a wide range of regular monthly activities, including adult education workshops, the Women's Walking Network, bike rides with the Easy Riders, Pushchairs in the Park, orienteering and Parks and Run.

The Parks Trust has put together 20 special events to help celebrate its anniversary, which include a Bluebell Walk in April, May's two-day Walking Festival and the ever popular World Picnic, *pictured below*, and Open Air Cinema in July and August.

Always forward thinking The Parks Trust has even planned an annivesary Daffodil Bulb Planting day in October so your local parks will be a blaze of colour for the trust's 21st birthday.

Many of The Parks Trust's events are free or have a minimal charge and because the parks are cared for by the independent charity, not one penny of your taxes is spent on their maintenance so they're free to use by you and everyone all year round.

This year's events guide is supported by MK NEWS. To get your free copy, call The Parks Trust on 01908 255379, download a copy from the website www.theparkstrust.com, or e-mail events@theparkstrust.com.

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## FILM REVIEW

### GOON (15)

**Who's in it: Seann William Scott, Jay Baruchel, Liev Schreiber, Alison Pill**
**Synopsis: Heavy-hitting ice hockey comedy**

Seann William Scott in Goon

THE first thing to say about this film is that Seann William Scott (you know, Stifler out of American Pie) is in it.

When he's about you can be fairly sure of what you are going to get - goofy comedy, characters with potty mouths, terrible gags and a sense of remorse that you are actually laughing at this stuff.

As well as American Pie Scott has appeared in Road Trip and Dude, Where's My Car? - all films which are definite guilty pleasures. They are stupid, yes, but they are fun so you might as well unwind and get on board with them.

In Goon, the true story of a man's journey into minor league ice hockey, Scott plays Doug Glatt who, while being an instantly likeable guy, isn't the sharpest knife in the drawer.

Glatt does, however, have fists like thunder and he quickly makes a name for himself on the ice as an 'enforcer' - a player essentially employed to protect more gifted skaters by knocking out anyone who tries to rough them up.

It's an exciting ride and Scott expertly combines the two elements of his character, the oafish clumbsiness of a dumb individual and the lethal fisticuffs of the rock hard hockey player.

When Glatt gets called up to the big leagues there is a brutal opponent standing in his way and as in most film a love interest also pitches up.

You've probably already guessed what happens but it doesn't really matter as Goon is so enjoyable.

Glatt is an underdog character who you instantly get behind and the film's mixture of heartwarming pathos, laugh out loud moments and blood drawing punches makes it an instant winner.

**Rating: 4/5**

### THE IRON LADY (12A)

**Who's in it: Meryl Streep, Anthony Head, Jim Broadbent, Richard E Grant.**
**Synopsis: A portrait of former PM Margaret Thatcher**

ONLY the very best actors should be called upon to play the big names from history, so it's lucky Meryl Streep was drafted in to play Margaret Thatcher.

Britain's first female Prime Minister is not a role you want to mess up and Streep does an excellent job.

Love her or hate her, this is an interesting account of a woman who divided opinion dramatically during a fascinating period of British politics.

Many of the pivotal events of her tenure are covered in a series of flashbacks, including the key build up to the Falklands War.

With an able cast playing those around The Iron Lady, this an intriguing piece of film about a very intriguing woman.

**Rating: 4/5**

■ **For showing times of these films, plus others, visit www.mk-news.co.uk**

## FILM SOCIETY

Eccentricities of a Blonde-Haired Girl

THE Open Film Society has a double bill on Wednesday, January 18 when it shows The Illusionist and Eccentricities of a Blonde-Haired Girl.

Based on a script of Jacques Tati, The Illusionist tells of an old, struggling illusionist who is befriended by a young woman.

She becomes convinced that he really has magical powers. A father-daughter relationship develops between them. Tati hoped the script would lead to a reconciliation with his estranged daughter and that they would co-star but it didn't turn out that way.

Directed by Sylvain Chomet, this French animation will be shown at 6.45 and 8.45pm.

On the same day, Eccentricites of a Blonde-Haired Girl will tell how Mac·rio wants to marry Luisa but needs his uncle's permission, which is refused.

Mac·rio stomps out and goes abroad, returning wealthy. The marriage is now set to go ahead, but problems with a shady partner leave him penniless.

This time, his uncle is much more forthcoming, but then on the eve of the wedding Luisa attempts a bit of shoplifting.

Directed by Manoel de Oliveira in Portuguese, the film starts at 7.45pm. For more details visit www.openfilmsociety.co.uk.

## MK GALLERY

### SCRATCH NIGHT

Tomorrow, 6.45pm.

THIS week's Scratch Night is a collaboration of audio visual art by Ryo Ikeshiro and Paul Prudence.

UK-based musician Ryo Ikeshiro presents a performance consisting of improvisation, interactive installations and soundtracks.

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Paul Prudence is an artist and real-time visual performer, who uses generative and computational methods to create audio responsive visual systems.

He is a researcher in the field of procedural art, computational design and earth processes.

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Martin's work uses mirror-touch synaesthesia to render virtual or remote activities indistinguishable from literal actions.

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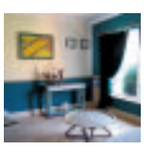

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- Four bedroom detached house
- Separate reception rooms
- Kitchen
- Utility room
- Ensuite to the master bedroom
- Front and rear gardens

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**Pennyland** £235,000

- Detached
- Four Bedrooms
- En-suite to Master
- Refitted Kitchen
- Double glazing
- Tandem Length Garage

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**Whaddon** OIEO £225,000

- Cottage with many character features
- Kitchen/Diner
- Two Reception Rooms
- Re-fitted Family Bathroom
- Utility & Larder
- Countryside Views

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**Monkston** £215,000

- Three Bedroom Semi
- Popular Location
- Double Glazing
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Converted Garage

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**Tattenhoe** £210,000

- Three Bedrooms
- Semi Detached
- Lounge/Diner
- Gas to Radiator Heating
- Double Glazing
- Front & Rear Gardens

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**Wavendon Gate** £200,000

- Three Bedrooms
- Semi-detached
- Kitchen/Diner
- Corner Plot Rear Garden
- Garage
- Driveway

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**Two Mile Ash** £190,000

- Bungalow
- Two Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Conservatory
- Bathroom

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**Downhead Park** £180,000

- Three Bedroom Semi-detached
- Cul-de-sac Location
- Fully double glazed
- Family Bathroom
- South facing rear Garden
- Off road parking

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**Beanhill** Offers Over £110,000

- Two bedrooms
- Terraced
- Kitchen/Diner
- Refitted Bathroom
- Allocated Parking
- Double Glazing

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**Coffee Hall** OIEO £115,000

- Semi Detached
- Two Bedrooms
- Gas to Radiator Heating
- Front and Rear Gardens
- Off Road Parking
- Viewing Recommended

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**Neath Hill** £120,000

- Two Bedrooms
- Maisonette
- Kitchen
- Lounge
- Family Bathroom
- Garden

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**Stantonbury Fields** OIEO £145,000

- Two Bedrooms
- End Of Terrace
- Cul-De-Sac Location
- Gas Radiator Heating
- Garage
- Gardens

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**Stantonbury** £157,500

- Three Bedrooms
- Kitchen
- Lounge
- Bathroom
- Garage
- Front & Rear Garden

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**Monkston** OIEO £180,000

- Well Presented
- Three Bedroom
- Semi Detached Home
- Sought After Location
- Conservatory
- Gardens and Driveway

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**Middleton** £180,000

- Three Bedrooms
- Kitchen
- Lounge
- Bathroom
- Garage
- Front & Rear Garden

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**Ashland** OIEO £255,000

- Three Storey Detached
- Four bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen/diner
- En suite to master
- Garage & Gardens

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**Browns Wood** OIEO £285,000

- Extended Detached
- Six Bedrooms
- Two Reception Rooms
- Cloakroom
- Ensuite to Master
- Front and Rear Gardens

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**Springfield** OIEO £260,000

- Detached Property
- Four Bedrooms
- Dining Room
- Conservatory
- En-Suite
- Double Garage

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**Stantonbury Fields** OIEO £180,000

- Three Bedroom Detached
- Cloakroom
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Front & Rear Garden

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**Bancroft** £250,000

- Much Improved Detached House
- Separate Reception Rooms
- Double Glazing
- Gas to Radiator Heating
- Refitted Kitchen and Bathrooms
- Detached Garage

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**Bradwell** £189,500

- Three Bedrooms
- Cloakroom
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Front & Rear Garden

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**Crownhill** £255,000

- Improved & Converted
- Three/Four Bed Detached
- Separate Reception Rooms
- Kitchen and Utility Room
- Ensuite and Dressing Room 6' x 5'9"
- Gardens & Garage

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**Oldbrook** £65,000

- Split Level
- Maisonette
- Shared Ownership Scheme
- Refitted Bathroom
- Courtyard Garden
- Allocated Parking

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**Fishermead** £70,000

- Top Floor Apartment
- One Bedroom
- Kitchen
- Lounge/Diner
- Dressing Area
- Garage

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**Shenley Brook End** **OIEO £235,000**
- Three Bedroom Detached
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens

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**Emerson Valley** **OIEO £150,000**
- Two Bedroom
- Semi-detached
- Cul-de-sac Location
- Conservatory
- Front & rear Gardens
- Driveway

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**Monkston** **OIEO £320,000**
- Four Bed Detached
- Utility & Cloakroom
- Separate Reception Rooms
- Ensuite to Master
- Double Glazing
- Front & Rear Gardens

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**Broughton** **OIEO £270,000**
- Town House
- Five Bedrooms
- Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Ensuite
- Rear Garden
- Allocated Parking Space

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**Shenley Brook End** **£275,000**
- Four Bed Detached
- Kitchen/Breakfast room
- Separate Reception rooms
- Ensuite to Master
- Front & rear Gardens
- Driveway & Garage

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**Woburn Sands** **£250,000**
- Three Bed Semi-detached
- 18ft Kitchen/Diner
- Conservatory
- Gardens & Outbuildings
- Walking distance to High Street
- Driveway & Garage

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**Grange Farm** **OIEO £155,000**
- Two Bedroom
- Top floor Apartment
- Ensuite to Master
- Balcony
- Bathroom
- Allocated parking

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**Little Brickhill** **OIEO £160,000**
- Two/Three Bedroom
- Terraced
- Dining room
- Lean to
- Rear Garden
- Village Location

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**Tattenhoe** **£185,000**
- Three Bedroom
- End of Terrace
- Lounge/Diner
- Front & rear Gardens
- Single Garage
- Allocated parking

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**Oxley Park** **£250,000**
- Immaculately Presented
- Four Bedrooms
- Separate Receptions
- Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Ensuite To Master
- Garage & Gardens

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**Broughton** **£229,995**
- Three Bed Semi-detached
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Dining room
- Kitchen/Breakfast
- Master with Ensuite & Balcony
- Garden & Garage

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**Wavendon** **£200,000**
- Terrace Cottage
- Character Features
- Two Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Bathroom

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**Greenleys** **OIEO £110,000**

- One Bedroom
- Semi-detached
- Lounge/Diner
- Master with built in wardrobe
- Rear Garden
- Double glazing

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**Blue Bridge** **£294,995**

- Four Bed Detached
- Cul-de-sac location
- Extended re-fitted Kitchen/Diner
- Family room
- Detached double Garage
- Large rear Garden

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**Deanshanger** **OIEO £155,000**

- Semi-detached Bungalow
- Two Bedrooms
- Re-fitted Kitchen/Diner
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Front & rear Gardens
- Garage

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MAKE AN OFFER

**Stony Stratford** **OIEO £150,000**

- Recent refurbishment
- Three Bed Semi-detached
- Re-fitted Kitchen
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Front & rear Gardens
- Driveway & Garage

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**Wolverton** **Guide £145,000**

- Three double Bedrooms
- Some original features
- Utility/Storage Cupboard
- Re-fitted Bathroom & Kitchen
- Roof Terrace
- No upper chain

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**Stony Stratford** **£180,000**

- Two Bedroom
- Victorian Style
- Terraced Home
- Re-fitted Kitchen
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Garden and Garage

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**Wolverton Mill** **£240,000**

- Four Bedroom
- Link Detached
- Ensuite to Master
- Professionally landscaped Garden
- Off road parking
- Gas central heating

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**Castlethorpe** **£369,995**

- Exceptionally presented
- Five Bed Detached
- Countryside views
- Kitchen/Breakfast room
- Three reception rooms
- Ensuite to Master

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**Wolverton** **£200,000**

- Three Bedroom
- Victorian Terrace
- New gas central heating
- Re-fitted Kitchen
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Double Glazing

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**New Bradwell** **OIEO £140,000**

- Well presented & re-furbished
- Victorian Terraced
- Three double Bedrooms
- New boiler & carpets
- Many original features
- No upper chain

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**Deanshanger** **£285,000**

- Four Bed Detached
- Dining Room
- Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Study or Office
- Lounge
- Front & Rear Gardens

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**Hartwell** **£160,000**

- Three Bedroom
- Semi-detached
- Re-fitted Kitchen/Diner
- Conservatory
- Driveway & Garage
- Front & rear Gardens

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**Hardmead** **£215,000**
- Three Bed Terraced
- Study
- Utility/Cloakroom
- Conservatory
- Double Glazing
- Front & Rear Gardens

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**Olney** **£230,000**
- Three Bedroom
- Detached
- Family Home
- Separate Receptions
- Conservatory
- Garage and Gardens

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**Olney** **O.I.E.O £155,000**
- NO UPPER CHAIN!!!!
- Two bedrooms
- Mid Terrace Property
- Popular Location
- Front and Rear Gardens
- Off Road Parking

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**Newport Pagnell** **O.I.E.O £170,000**
- Three Bedroom
- Terraced
- Green Park
- Lounge/Diner
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Garage In Block

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**Lavendon** **O.I.E.O £180,000**
- Amazing Views!
- Well Presented
- Three Bedroom
- Terraced Home
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

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**Olney** **£167,500**
- Two Bedrooms
- Character Property
- Kitchen
- Lounge
- Bathroom
- Front & Rear Garden

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**Newport Pagnell** **£245,000**
- Staggered Terraced Property
- Three Bedrooms
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Re-fitted Kitchen
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Courtyard Garden

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MAKE AN OFFER

**Harrold** **£450,000**
- Extended & Modernised Throughout
- Four Bedroom Detached
- Downstairs W.C.
- Master Ensuite
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Double Garage

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**Cottingham Grove** **Guide £200,000**
- Three Bed Semi-detached
- Re-fitted Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Good sized rear Garden
- Off Road Parking
- No upper chain

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**Fenny Stratford** **Guide £110,000**
- Two Bedroom
- Ground Floor Apartment
- Good Location
- Communal Gardens
- Allocated parking
- No upper chain

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**Racecourses** **Offers Over £180,000**
- Semi-detached
- Four Bedrooms
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

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**Trees Estate** **Offers Over £180,000**
- Three Bedroom
- Semi-detached
- Kitchen/Diner
- Conservatory
- Garage & Driveway
- Front & rear Gardens

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**Bletchley** **£200,000**
- 1930's style semi-detached
- Separate Reception Rooms
- Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Utility
- Driveway & Garage
- Front & Rear Gardens

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**Bletchley** **£154,995**
- Three/Four Bed
- Semi-detached
- Double Glazing (w/s)
- Gas Central Heating
- Rear Garden
- Two Reception rooms

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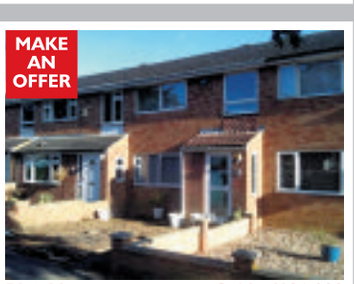

**Bletchley** **Guide £126,000**
- Three Bedrooms
- Mid-terrace
- Low maintenance Garden
- Lounge/Dining room
- Double glazing
- Radiator heating

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**Bletchley** **£140,000**
- Extended
- Three Bed End of Terrace
- Dining room
- Wet room
- Front & rear Gardens
- Car Port and Driveway

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**Racecourses** **£170,000**
- Three Bedroom
- End of Terrace
- Re-fitted Kitchen/Diner
- Conservatory
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Rear Garden & Driveway

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**Bletchley** **£115,500**
- Two Bedroom
- Ground Floor
- Flat
- Separate Kitchen
- Communal Gardens
- Vacant possession

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**Bletchley** **Guide £155,000**
- Extended
- Three Bed Semi-detached
- Separate Receptions
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- Front & rear Gardens
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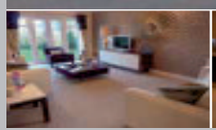

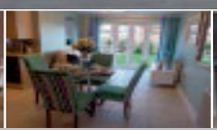

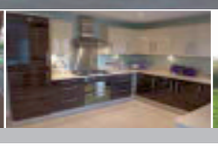

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Five bedroom detached
Wc & Utility
Kitchen/breakfast room
Three reception rooms
Master Ensuite
Double Garage

## North Furzton Guide £410,000

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Five Bedroom Detached
Cul-de-Sac Location
Two Reception Rooms
Kitchen/Breakfast Room
En Suite to Master Bedroom
Double Garage

## North Furzton Guide £300,000

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Detached family home
Four bedrooms
En suite to master
Separate receptions
Gardens to front and rear
Double garage

## Downhead Park Guide £165,000

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Extended semi detached
Three bedrooms
Bedroom four/family room
Downstairs cloakroom
Kitchen/diner
Front and rear gardens

## Newton Longville Guide £250,000

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Three Bedrooms
Detached
Extended
Double Glazing
Central Heating
Garage

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## Downhead Park Guide £172,500

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Three Bedroom Detached
Double Glazing
Gas Central Heating
Front & Rear Gardens
Garage
Veiwing is Highly Recommended

## Stantonbury OIEO £119,995

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Well Presented
Three Bedroom Home
Gas Radiator Heating
Double Glazing
Cloakroom
Rear Garden

## Fishermead OIEO £110,000

MAKE AN OFFER

Upper floor flat
Open plan lounge/kitchen
Two bedrooms
Balcony to bedroom one
Communal gardens
Allocated parking

## Hodgelea OIEO £125,000

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Two/Three Bedroom
Terraced Home
Double Glazing
Gas Radiator heating (where specified)
Cloakroom
Off Road Parking

## Ashland Guide £230,000

MAKE AN OFFER

Three Bedrooms
Three Storey Town House
Popular Location
Master Ensuite
Double Glazing
Allocated Parking

## Tattenhoe Guide £185,000

MAKE AN OFFER

End of terrace home
Three bedrooms
Lounge/diner
Kitchen
Gardens
Single garage

## Wavendon Gate Guide £200,000

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Three Bedroom Semi Detached Property
Set On A Corner Plot
Cloakroom
South Westerly Facing Garden
Enclosed Rear Garden
Driveway & Garage Providing Off Road Parking

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Bathroom
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Ample parking
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Rear Garden
Garage
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### Haversham Guide Price £235,000

Four Bedroom Semi Detached
Dining Room
Lounge
Kitchen
Study Area
Front & Rear Garden
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Three Bedroom Detached Property
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Kitchen
Dining /Family Room
Family Bathroom
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### Newport Pagnell £175,500

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Double Glazing
Gas Central Heating
Rear Garden
Driveway & Garage
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Three Bedrooms
Link Detached
Two Reception Rooms
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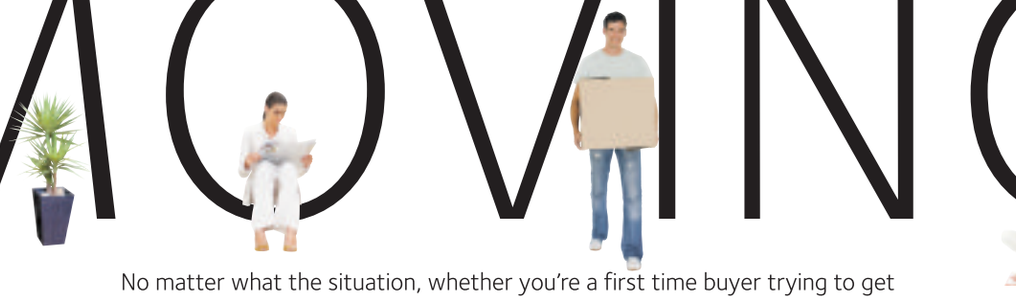

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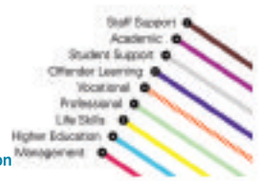

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Closing date for applications: Wednesday 18th January 2012

Interviews: Year 2 - Thursday 26th January 2012
Foundation Stage - Monday 30th January 2012

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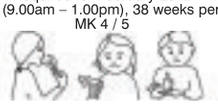

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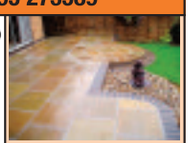

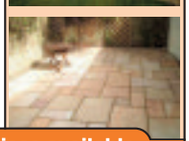

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**SECTION 73** **WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA**

11/02685/ADV Advert consent for 4 x non illuminated folded fascias, 2 x internally illuminated folded fascias only edge of KIA logo to illuminate, 1 x internally illuminated totem sign at 300 Stratford Road, Wolverton.

**SECTION 67 & 73** **LISTED BUILDING WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA**

11/02759/FUL Internal and external alterations to Stratford House including rebuilding conservatory; restoration of summer house; construction of new garage; creation of holes in wall for footpath and access; pitched roof to existing garage adjacent to Ousebank Cottage at Stratford House, Mill Lane, Stony Stratford.

11/02760/LBC Listed Building Consent for internal and external alterations to Stratford House including rebuilding conservatory; restoration of summer house; construction of new garage; creation of holes in wall for footpath and access; pitched roof to existing garage adjacent to Ousebank Cottage at Stratford House, Mill Lane, Stony Stratford.

**SECTION 67** **LISTED BUILDING**

11/02701/LBC Listed building consent for alterations to frontages and installation of two illuminated fascias (retrospective) at 735 Midsummer Boulevard, Central Milton Keynes.

**SECTION 67** **AFFECTING THE SETTING OF A LISTED BUILDING**

11/02596/FUL Erection of insulated metal clad structure for housing technical equipment at Communication Station, Hanslope Park, Hanslope Park Road, Hanslope.

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT (AS AMENDED) TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE) ORDER 2010 NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13 MAJOR**

11/02756/REM Reserved matters pursuant of planning permission 05/01429/OUT for details of country park and liner park including access through the park, including footpaths, horse trials, bridge across canal, vehicular access, car park and kiosk, soft landscaping, and buffer planting to the housing interface at Stantonbury Park, Land North of Wolverton Road, Great Linford.

Nick Fenwick
Assistant Director Planning, Economy and Development

**Milton Keynes Partnership**

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED) TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE)(ENGLAND) ORDER 2010 NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13 MAJOR**

11/02711/MKPC Full application for the erection of 26 dwellings with associated areas, roads and parking at Phase 2, Site 6 (part), Land South of Milland Way, Oxley Park East, Milton Keynes.

Sheila Keene,
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For details of Central Bedfordshire arrangements please visit: www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/admissions2013consultation

The closing date for responses is 1 March 2012 and we would welcome your views.

For more information about this consultation please contact the School Admissions Service at Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street, Bedford, MK42 9AP, telephone 01234 276327.

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**ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14(1)(a) THE M1 MOTORWAY (JUNCTION 14 MILTON KEYNES AND NEWPORT PAGNELL SERVICE AREA BUCKINGHAMSHIRE) (TEMPORARY RESTRICTION AND PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC) ORDER 201_**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Secretary of State for Transport intends to make an Order on the M1 Motorway in the County of Buckinghamshire and Milton Keynes to enable the replacement of lighting columns and associated cabling, and carriageway repairs, to be carried out in safety.

The works are expected to take place over approximately 6 weeks, starting on or after Monday 6 February 2012, and the effect of the Order would be to-

1. impose a 50 miles per hour speed limit, in conjunction with lane closures, on the M1 -
   1.1 northbound carriageway between points -
   - 2600 metres southeast and 1700 metres northwest of the A509 eastern overbridge at J14, and
   - 2100 metres southeast of Wolverton Road underbridge and 1300 metres northwest of Little Linford Lane overbridge,

   overnight from 7pm-7am Mondays, 8pm-7am Tuesdays to Thursdays, 10pm-8am Fridays, 6pm-10am Saturdays and 9pm-7am Sundays,
   1.2 southbound carriageway between points -
   - 2800 metres northwest and 1500 metres southeast of the A509 eastern overbridge at J14, and
   - 2300 metres northwest of Little Linford Lane overbridge and 1,100 metres southeast of Wolverton Road underbridge,

   overnight from 7pm-6am Mondays to Thursdays, 9pm-9am Fridays, 7pm -11am Saturdays and 10pm-6am Sundays; and
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2. close, in turn, the slip roads described at 1.3 overnight from 10pm to 5:30am.

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The temporary mandatory speed limit (which would not apply to emergency service or special forces vehicles), closures (which would not apply to emergency service, traffic officer, works or winter service maintenance vehicles) and diversion routes would be clearly indicated by traffic signs throughout the works.

The Order would come into force on 30 January 2012 and have a maximum duration of eighteen months.

**Mrs A V Middleton,** An official of the Highways Agency

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**DESIGNATION OF STREETS IN WHICH TRADING IS PROHIBITED**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on 21st December 2011 the Milton Keynes Council passed a resolution to prohibit street trading under paragraph 2(1) (a) of Schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982.

All streets listed below including all roads, footways, forecourts or other area adjacent to the streets referred to in this resolution for a distance of 60 metres from the centre line of each street and shown on a map identification purposes only, which can be examined at Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Central Milton Keynes, MK 9 3EJ. The effective date will be 1st March 2012.

Broughton

Shackerstone Close

PHILIP WINSOR,
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

**DESIGNATION OF STREETS IN WHICH TRADING IS PROHIBITED**

**NOTICE** of Intention to designate streets in which trading is prohibited. Notice is hereby given that the Milton Keynes Council intends to pass a Resolution to prohibit trading under paragraph 2(1)(a) Schedule of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982.

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Streets designated as prohibited by the Council with effect from 1st May 2010 continue to apply.

Representations should be made in writing to Phil Winsor, Assistant Director, Milton Keynes Council, 1 Saxon Gate East, Central Milton Keynes, MK9 3EJ, no later than 14th February 2012.

**Schedule1 Proposed Prohibited Street**

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PHILIP WINSOR,
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES**
**(DRAYTON ROAD AND BARTON ROAD (PARTS), BLETCHLEY)**
**(TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2011**

**FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that there has been a further delay in the timescales originally envisaged and previously notified on the 16th November and 23rd November respectively, for the temporary road closures taking place at Drayton Road and Barton Road Bletchley detailed below. Therefore, the restrictions brought into effect under the provisions of the above Order made by the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes on the 23rd November 2011, under Section 14 (1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 will now take place during the dates and times stated below. Its effect will be to temporarily prohibit all vehicular access along the following lengths of road :-

Drayton Road, Bletchley from a point approximately 150 metres north of its junction with the A4146 to its junction with Lomond Drive, Bletchley. It is anticipated that this closure will now commence from 8.00pm on Saturday 14th January 2012 until 3.00pm on Sunday 15th January 2012.

The alternative route for southbound traffic will be to proceed left onto Lomond Drive, then right onto Stoke Road, then right onto the A4146 and vice versa for northbound traffic.

Barton Road, Bletchley from the southern end of Barton Road at a point adjacent to number 32 Barton Road for a distance of approximately 110 metres in a northerly direction to its junction with the access road into Water Eaton Industrial Estate. It is anticipated that this closure will commence from 7.00pm on Saturday 11th February 2012 until 3.00pm on Sunday 12th February 2012.

There will be no alternative route for traffic for this closure.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary closures are necessary because of the likelihood of danger to the public whilst a mobile crane is positioned on site in order to enable the delivery of signalling structures into position on the railway infrastructure.

The temporary restrictions will be in force on the dates and at the times shown when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs.

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of this Order.

This Order came into operation on Saturday the 26th November 2011 and will continue in force for a maximum period of 18 months or until the likelihood of danger to the public has been alleviated, which ever is the sooner. If the danger remains up to the maximum period stated, a further Order may be made with the consent of the Secretary of State.

Any person committing a breach of the Order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

Philip McCourt Assistant Director – Law & Governance 11th January 2012
Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES**
**(REDWAY (PART) ADJACENT TO THE H6 CHILDS WAY, WOOLSTONE)**
**(TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2011**

**FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that due to unforeseen circumstances, the excavation works on the redway to investigate a leaking water main were not completed within the timescale originally envisaged and therefore the restrictions brought into effect under the provisions of the above Order made by the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes, on the 30th November 2011, under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 will be extended beyond the dates previously notified.

**TAKE NOTICE** that it is now intended to continue to temporarily prohibit all access along that length of redway that runs alongside the south east side of the H6 Childs Way, adjacent to Woolstone. The closure will start from the H6 Childs Way bus stop situated west of Pattison Lane, Woolstone continuing in a westerly direction to the south-western side of the Grand Union canal bridge in Springfield. The extended temporary closure dates will recommence from Thursday 26th January 2012 until Sunday 11th March 2012, inclusive.

All other provisions of the Order remain as previously notified on 30th November 2011.

Philip McCourt, Philip McCourt Assistant Director – Law & Governance 11th January 2012
Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES**
**(PARTS OF SIMPSON ROAD AND FENNY STRATFORD LEVEL CROSSING,**
**FENNY STRATFORD)**
**(TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2011**

**FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the essential track maintenance works carried out on the railway line at the level crossing along Simpson Road, Fenny Stratford, Milton Keynes have not been completed to date and therefore the restrictions brought into effect under the provisions of the above Order made by the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes on 13 January 2011 under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 will be extended beyond the dates previously notified on the 13th January 2011.

**TAKE NOTICE** that it is now intended to continue to temporarily prohibit all vehicular traffic from proceeding across the level crossing, together with those parts of Simpson Road which run for a distance of approximately 50 metres either side of the level crossing. It is anticipated that the temporary closure restrictions will recommence from 8.00pm on Saturday 14th January 2012 until 4.30am on Monday 16 January 2012 inclusive. The road and level crossing may re-open sooner if works are complete and it is safe to do so.

A diversion route will be signed via Staplehall Road and Watling Street, Fenny Stratford. Advance information signs will be placed either side of the crossing a few days before the works are due to take place.

There shall be no exemptions from the provisions of the Order except for emergency services vehicles and road gritting vehicles.

This Order came into operation on 15 January 2011 and will continue in force for a maximum period of 18 months or until the said works have been completed, whichever is the earlier. If the works are not completed within the period stated, a further Order may be made.

Any person committing a breach of the Order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

Philip McCourt Assistant Director – Law & Governance 11th January 2012
Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES**
**AMENDMENTS TO PERMIT PARKING AND WAITING RESTRICTIONS IN**
**CENTRAL BLETCHLEY AND WEST BLETCHLEY**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes proposes to make 3 Traffic Regulation Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 in relation to parts of Bletchley town centre and to parts of West Bletchley. The titles of these Orders are recited at the end of this Notice and would have the following effects:-

1. To amend the operational hours in Schedules 2 and 3, Part B of the Order entitled The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (Queensway and Findlay Way, Bletchley) (Market Traders' Permit Parking Places) Order 2011 from *"between 8.00 am and 6.00 pm from Monday to Saturday"* to "*between 6.00 am and 6.00 pm from Monday to Saturday*", and to insert the amended Order maps;
2. To amend item 8. of Part 2, Amendments in the Order entitled The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes) (Queensway, Albert Street and Brooklands Road, Bletchley) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Stopping) Order 2007) Variation Order 2011 from *"The title of Schedule 5 of the Principal Order is varied to read as follows"* to *"Schedule 5 in the Principal Order is revoked in its entirety and replaced with the following"*.
3. To amend the road named *"Grifton Way"* to *"Girton Way"* within Schedule 1, Parts A and B of the Order entitled The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (Various Roads, West Bletchley) (Residents Permit Parking Zone) Order 2011, and to insert the amended Order map.
4. To revoke the Orders mentioned in 1., 2. and 3. above.

All classes of vehicle are affected by the proposed Orders. Exemptions include Emergency Services vehicles, Military vehicles, statutory undertakers, building, demolition and excavation and disabled persons' badge holders and some others.

Copies of each proposed Order, maps showing the affected roads, Orders to be revoked by the proposals and the Council's Statement of Reasons for proposing the Orders may be viewed at Milton Keynes Council, Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes between 9.00 am and 5.00 pm on any working day, at Milton Keynes Library, 555 Silbury Boulevard, Central Milton Keynes and at Bletchley Library, Westfield Road during normal opening hours.

Any representations about or objections to the proposals, together with grounds on which they are made should be **sent in writing** to the Assistant Director – Law & Governance, Milton Keynes Council, PO Box 111, Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Central Milton Keynes MK9 3EJ **to be received** no later than 1 February 2012 quoting reference BAS-P&E-4349-1818/4401-1828.

**Titles of Proposed Orders**

**The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (Queensway and Findlay Way, Bletchley) (Market Traders' Permit Parking Places) Order 2012**

**The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes) (Queensway, Albert Street and Brooklands Road, Bletchley) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Stopping) Order 2007) Variation Order 2012**

**The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes) (Various Roads, West Bletchley) (Residents Permit Parking Zone) Order 2012**

Philip McCourt, Philip McCourt Assistant Director – Law & Governance 11th January 2012
Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes

**Milton Keynes Council**

The following applications may be inspected at the Planning, Economy and Development Department, Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes. Representations, if any, to be submitted in writing to the above address within 21 days of the publication of this notice.

**SECTION 73** **WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA**

11/02764/FUL Erection of a dwelling with associated parking at Mews Cottage, 75A High Street, Stony Stratford.

11/02770/FUL Erection of detached garage at Chestnut Farm House, 4 Dag Lane, Stoke Goldington.

11/02777/FUL Erection of a first floor rear extension at 7 Hopkins Close, Milton Keynes Village.

11/02793/FUL Erection of a three storey extension including installation of lift to front elevation at 31 Weston Road, Olney.

11/02796/TCA Notification of intention to fell one Box tree (401), remove the dead branch of one Lawson Cypress tree (408), to reduce the stems of 1 Yew tree (414), to fell three Leyland Cypress trees (417, 418, T1), reduce the crown of one Sycamore by 30% (419), fell two Hawthrons (G1), to remove the deadwood and reduce the crown of a small leaved Lime tree by 40% (420), remove the deadwood and lift the crown of one Box Elder tree to 4m (423), to cut back to main trunk of one Cherry tree (424), remove the hollow stem of one Yew tree (429), remove the ivy and reduce the crown of one Yew tree by 30% (431), to fell one Taxus Baccata tree (T2), to remove deadwood from on Yew tree (435), to remove ivy and deadwood from one Yew tree (436), to fell on Wild Cherry tree (438), to reduce the height of a Leyland Cypress hedge (H1) by 30% and trim ends and sides, to fell one Silver Birch tree (439) and to reduce branches by 2m on one Box Elder tree (442) at The Old Rectory, 61 High Street, Stoke Goldington.

11/02832/FUL Variation of condition 2 to amend flue configuration and 5 amended forecourt arrangement attached to planning permission 08/00961/FUL (re-submission of 11/02307/FUL) at 33 Stratford Road, Wolverton.

11/02820/FUL Erection of two single storey rear extensions and minor alterations at The Old Barn, 10 Church End, Sherington.

12/00005/FUL Installation for vertical sliding windows to front elevation at 26 Oxford Street, Wolverton.

**SECTION 73** **AFFECTING THE SETTING OF A CONSERVATION AREA**

11/02761/FUL Construction of 13 new houses on land to the rear of Stratford House at Stratford House, Mill Lane, Stony Stratford.

**SECTION 67 & 73** **LISTED BUILDING WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA**

11/02743/FUL Conversion of outbuilding to ancillary accommodation and internal modification to existing dwelling at 131 High Street, Stony Stratford.

11/02744/LBC Listed building consent for the proposed renovation of an existing dwelling with minor alterations to the layout and the conversion of an outbuilding to ancillary accommodation at 131 High Street, Stony Stratford.

11/02757/FUL Erection of a single storey rear extension at 15 High Street, Olney.

11/02758/LBC Listed building consent for the erection of a single storey rear extension at 15 High Street, Olney.

11/02784/FUL Change of use from public house (A4) and flat (C3) to residential dwelling (C3) at The White Hart, 66 High Street, Stoke Goldington.

11/02785/LBC Listed building consent for the change of use from public house (A4) and flat (C3) to residential dwelling (C3) at The White Hart, 66 High Street, Stoke Goldington.

**SECTION 67** **LISTED BUILDING**

11/02694/LBC Listed building consent to form new door openings with glazed surround to side elevation at Lathbury Park, Church Lane, Lathbury.

**SECTION 67** **AFFECTING THE SETTING OF A LISTED BUILDING**

11/02765/FUL Erection of a single storey building with basement opposite the Grange at The Grange, 7 Watermill Lane, Wolverton Mill.

11/02766/LBC Listed building consent for the erection of a single storey building with basement opposite the Grange at The Grange, 7 Watermill Lane, Wolverton Mill.

11/02780/FUL Extension to building under application reference 11/02596/FUL for housing technical equipment including associated external plant at Hanslope Park, Hanslope Park Road, Hanslope.

11/02797/FUL Change of use to waste transfer station for non-hazardous commercial waste, including the erection of a gate house and modular sorting bays, and the stationing of removable sorting bays at Former County Main Scaffolding Ltd, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes.

11/02793/FUL Erection of a three storey extension including installation of lift to front elevation at 31 Weston Road, Olney.

**DEPARTURE FROM LOCAL PLAN**

11/02762/FUL Erection of a retail unit (use class A1) and associated car parking, landscaping and highway works at Beacon Retail Park, Watling Street, Bletchley.

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED)**
**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE)**
**(ENGLAND) ORDER 2010**
**NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13**
**MAJOR**

11/02747/OUT Renewal of extant planning permission 08/02058/OUT erection of B1 research and development building, D1/B1 training and visitors centre, D1 children's créche, B2/B8 parts and servicing building with associated vehicle parking, landscaping and location for an aerogenerator at Site C, Chalkdell Drive, Shenley Wood.

11/02749/FUL Renewal of extant planning permission 08/02057/FUL erection of B2/B8 building with ancillary offices associated parking, servicing, landscaping, mounding and new access including footpath and cycle links at Site C, Chalkdell Drive, Shenley Wood.

11/02761/FUL Construction of 13 new houses on land to the rear of Stratford House at Stratford House, Mill Lane, Stony Stratford.

**Nick Fenwick**
**Assistant Director Planning, Economy and Development**

**MILTON KEYNES PARTNERSHIP**
**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED)**
**OWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE)**
**(ENGLAND) ORDER 2010**
**NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13**
**MAJOR**

12/00002/MKPC Construction of the third phase of advanced highway infrastructure including ancillary earthworks, stopping up and diversion of Salford Road, new utilities and roads, ancillary junctions, footways, a public square and space for future ancillary landscaping and car parking on the new highway verge at Land at Brooklands, North of Broughton Brook, West of the M1 Motorway and South of the A509, Eastern Expansion Area, Milton Keynes.

**Sheila Keene,**
**Head of Strategic Policy and Planning Homes**
**and Communities Agency**

MILTON KEYNES COUNCIL

**TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990**

**NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13 OF THE TOWN & COUNTRY (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT) PROCEDURE ORDER 2010 AND/OR NOTICE UNDER SECTION 67 OR 73 OF PLANNING (LISTED BUILDINGS & CONSERVATION AREAS) ACT 1990**

Central Bedfordshire

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/11/04145/FULL **Affects Conservation Area**
**PROPOSAL:** Loft conversion with front and rear dormer windows, single storey rear extension and two storey side addition linked to main house at ground floor level.
**LOCATION:** 4 Church Road, Totternhoe, Dunstable, LU6 1RE

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/11/04149/FULL **Affects Listed Building/Conserv. Area**
**PROPOSAL:** Erection of two storey extension and alterations to existing building to provide 2 no. separate Office Suites
**LOCATION:** 4 Maypole Yard, West Street, Dunstable, LU6 1XF

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/11/04478/FULL **Affects Conservation Area**
**PROPOSAL:** Change of use : A1 and to include D1 usage
**LOCATION:** 16 Ashton Square, Dunstable, LU6 3SN

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/11/04499/LB **Affects Listed Building/Conserv. Area**
**PROPOSAL:** Extension and alterations to existing building to provide 2 no. separate Office suites
**LOCATION:** 4 Maypole Yard, West Street, Dunstable, LU6 1XF

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/11/04505/FULL **Listed Build/Cons Area/Public Right of Way**
**PROPOSAL:** Install 1no set of new non illuminated Individual Heritage Letters. Install 1no new non illuminated heritage projecting sign. Install 1no new CCTV cameras. Up-grade 1no existing ATM surrounds with new. Install new branch name plate to front and side elevations
**LOCATION:** 2 Market Square, Leighton Buzzard, LU7 1EU

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/11/04506/ADV **Listed Build/Cons Area/Public Right of Way**
**PROPOSAL:** Install 1no set of new non illuminated Individual Heritage Letters. Install 1no new non illuminated heritage projecting sign. Install 1no new CCTV cameras. Up-grade 1no existing ATM surrounds with new. Install new branch name plate to front and side elevations Non-illuminated individual heritage letters Non-illuminated heritage projecting sign
**LOCATION:** Market Square, Leighton Buzzard, LU7 1EU

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/11/04532/FULL **Departure from Dev. Plan/Gen. Publicity**
**PROPOSAL:** Plots 1 & 4 revised house types incorporating conservatory and additional dormers to previously approved application – Ref: CB/10/01417/FULL
**LOCATION:** Rear of 16, The Rye, Eaton Bray, Dunstable, LU6 2BQ

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/11/04533/LB **Affects Listed Building/Conserv. Area**
**PROPOSAL:** Replace the slates and flashings to all the roofs to the Grange
**LOCATION:** The Grange, Woburn Road, Heath And Reach, Leighton Buzzard, LU7 0AP

**APPLICATION NO:** CB/12/00003/FULL **General Publicity**
**PROPOSAL:** Conversion of existing outbuilding for use as a boiler house, store and external woodchip store. Proposals include new chimney and 2 No. dormers to roof, close boarded timber wall set behind existing brick piers
**LOCATION:** Barwythe Hall, Pedley Hill, Studham, Dunstable, LU6 2NU

Planning applications, related documents and drawings can be viewed on our website http://www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/planning Alternatively, the application can be viewed at our offices at Priory House, Monks Walk, Chicksands, Shefford, SG17 5TQ or at the Points of Presence at The Old Court House, Woburn Street, Ampthill, MK45 2HX. The Job Centre Plus Building, High Street, Biggleswade and Bossard House, West Street, Leighton Buzzard, LU7 1DA. Our customer contact telephone number is 0300 300 8307. A paper copy application is sent to the local Town/Parish Council.

If you wish to make representations about any of these applications should do so within 21 days from the date of this notice by writing to the Head of Development Management, Priory House, Monks Walk, Chicksands, Shefford, SG17 5TQ, or by email to planning@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk Please quote the application number/s. Comments should be restricted to valid planning considerations such as effect on amenity, privacy, noise, traffic, access or similar. Please note any representations received are made available on our website for public inspection and so cannot be treated in confidence.

8th January 2012.

Assistant Director – Development Management

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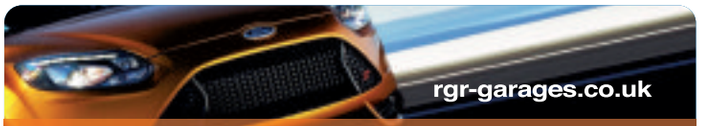


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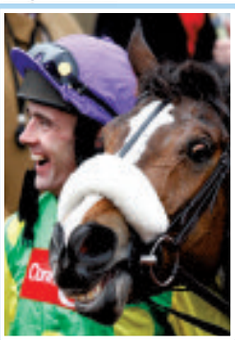

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| AUG 6 HARTLEPOOL (H) | D | 2-2 |
| AUG 9 CHELTENHAM (A) CC1 | W | 4-1 |
| AUG 13 EXETER (A) | W | 2-0 |
| AUG 16 YEOVIL (A) | W | 1-0 |
| AUG 20 CHESTERFIELD (H) | W | 6-2 |
| AUG 23 NORWICH (A) CC2 | W | 4-0 |
| AUG 27 STEVENAGE (H) | W | 1-0 |
| AUG 30 BRENTFORD (H) JPT1 | D | 3-3 |
| (BRENTFORD WON 4-3 ON PENS) | | |
| SEP 3 CARLISLE (A) | W | 3-1 |
| SEP 10 SHEFF WED (A) | L | 3-1 |
| SEP 17 HUDDERSFIELD (H) | D | 1-1 |
| SEP 20 BURNLEY (A) CC3 | L | 2-1 |
| SEP 24 BURY (A) | D | 0-0 |
| SEP 27 CHARLTON (H) | D | 1-1 |
| OCT 1 NOTTS COUNTY (H) | W | 3-0 |
| OCT 10 OLDHAM (A) | L | 2-1 |
| OCT 15 BOURNEMOUTH (H) | D | 2-2 |
| OCT 22 SCUNTHORPE (H) | D | 0-0 |
| OCT 25 SHEFF UTD (A) | L | 2-1 |
| OCT 29 WALSALL (A) | W | 2-0 |
| NOV 5 ROCHDALE (H) | W | 3-1 |
| NOV 12 NANTWICH (H) FAC1 | W | 6-0 |
| NOV 19 COLCHESTER (A) | W | 5-1 |
| NOV 26 WYCOMBE (H) | W | 4-3 |
| DEC 3 BARNET (A) FAC2 | W | 3-1 |
| DEC 10 TRANMERE (A) | W | 2-0 |
| DEC 17 PRESTON (H) | L | 1-0 |
| DEC 26 LEYTON ORIENT (A) | W | 3-0 |
| DEC 31 BRENTFORD (A) | D | 3-3 |
| JAN 2 COLCHESTER (H) | W | 1-0 |
| JAN 7 QPR (H) FAC3 | D | 1-1 |
| JAN 14 CARLISLE (H) | | |
| JAN 17 QPR (A) FAC3R | | |
| JAN 21 NOTTS COUNTY (A) | | |
| JAN 24 STEVENAGE (A) | | |
| JAN 28 SHEFF WED (H) | | |
| FEB 4 HUDDERSFIELD (A) | | |
| FEB 11 BURY (H) | | |
| FEB 14 CHARLTON (A) | | |
| FEB 18 OLDHAM (H) | | |
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### MK SUNDAY LEAGUE

WILLEN extended their lead at the top of the Premier Division to eight points after a 3-0 win over Loughton Athletic, but second place Stony Stratford – who had cup duties – have five games in hand.

Great Mile Ash could have gone second but lost 4-3 to Kings Arms.

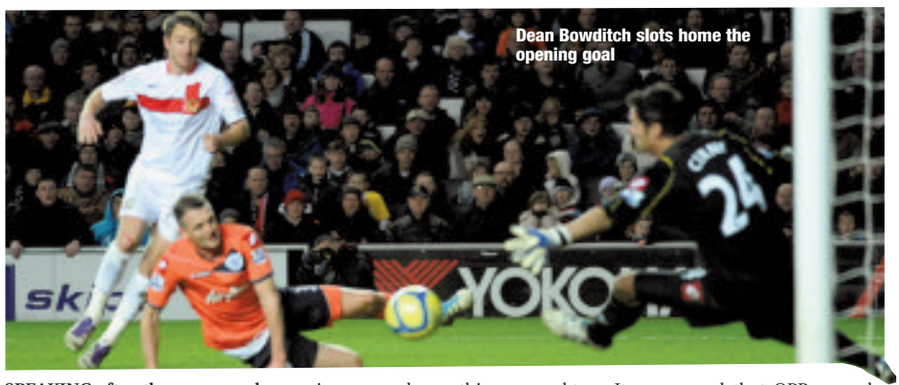
Elsewhere, FC Lifesearch beat Open University 4-0 and Stantonbury Social A saw off Padbury AFC 3-0.

In Division One, Olney thrashed Stacey Bushes 10-0 to go top on goal difference.

Stoke Hammond beat MK Legends 4-2, FC MMIX won by the same score against Stantonbury Social B and New City Saints and Stantonbury The Manor drew 2-2.

## DONS 1 QUEENS PARK RANGERS 1

# Rough justice for scintillating Dons



Dean Bowditch slots home the opening goal

**SPEAKING after the game, a despondent Karl Robinson said that he was feeling 'raw' and it was hard to blame him.**

This would have been a famous FA Cup victory but it was cruelly snatched away in the dying embers of the match thanks to a combination of a missed offside flag and a goalkeeper error.

The rest of the match had been all about League One Dons, who took the game to their top flight hosts in front of a record stadiummk crowd of 19,506 and outplayed them for large periods of the third round tie.

Frustrated QPR manager Neil Warnock described the pitch as a 'glue pot' even though Dons, as usual, passed beautifully on it.

As he was sacked the next day, it was to be the last surface he would ever see his Hoops side play on.

Dons fans gleefully chanted 'Premier League you're having a laugh' after taking a deserved 1-0 lead and a section of the away support, upset with their side's performance, suddenly joined in.

There was no obvious two division gap and everything seemed to be going Dons' way – they deserved a cup giant-killing.

It wasn't to be though and Robinson – allowed on the touchline as his upcoming FA hearing had not been heard – pointed to two moments of controversy.

In the first half, Dan Powell's close range shot was blocked by Clint Hill's hands but Dons had to settle for a penalty.

"I've never seen a player go to ground and put two hands above his head and a penalty is not given," Robinson said afterwards.

The second and more crucial decision surrounded QPR's late leveller, as the scorer Heidar Helguson was clearly offside as he chased a loose pass.

No flag arrived though and the goal still might have been avoided if keeper David Martin hadn't been caught in the headlights.

When rushing out for the ball the stopper failed to claim it and after a few seconds of confusion, Helguson steered it round him and rolled the ball into the unguarded net.

It was a goal that QPR scarcely deserved – Martin had seldom been tested up until that point – and the West London club were off the hook.

Helguson was also involved with the Dons' 65th minute opener, this time for all the wrong reasons.

The forward made a mess of trying to chest the ball after Shaun Williams chipped into the area, allowing Dean Bowditch to pick his pocket and slot home at Radek Cerny's far post.

After slicing QPR open time and time again with easy on the eye stylish play it wasn't a classic goal.

One superb move, which began just outside of the Dons penalty box, had earlier led to the ball finding the net but unlike Helguson Jabo Ibehre's effort was ruled out for offside.

Luke Chadwick missed a great chance for Dons when he finished weakly straight into Cerny's arms and QPR will rue a horrible headed miss at the back post by DJ Campbell.

Robinson described his side as a 'class act' but couldn't hide his disappointment.

He said: "There were two big decisions, the handball and the offside.

"I thought every player deserved that victory and it was a little bit embarrassing that it was taken away from us.

"When they scored you saw how hurt players were, we got back on the front foot and tried to regain the lead. Let's be proud of the players and let's move on."

Against the strong QPR side which Warnock named a draw is still a fine result but in these circumstances it felt like a defeat.

The sides will do it all again in Tuesday's replay and Chelsea will await the winners.

So close: Jabo Ibehre sinks to his knees after the late QPR goal

## MK Dons assistant boss JOHN GORMAN writes exclusively for MK NEWS every week

**WHEN I left Celtic to go to Carlisle I would be lying if I didn't say I had some doubts.**

**I had a row with my wee girlfriend because I was actually sold, for a reasonable amount of money for a young player, but I didn't want to go – I was only 20 going on 21 when I left. Bob Stokoe signed me.**

**I thought 'Carlisle, where's that?' but it ended up being a good move as I got a move to Tottenham from there.**

**It was a good club which was well run, and we got promoted from the league which is now the Championship.**

**We went into the top league which for them was a big thing, every time I go back there's a story about it.**

**It was a great time as we played a great brand of football and had one of the best coaches ever, Dick Young.**

**We all respected Dick and I still relate to some of the things he said, he was my mentor.**

**It's great to go back there as they don't forget you. Even this week, ahead of our match on Saturday, I've had phone calls from the local papers up there.**

**They do appreciate good football and when we won 3-1 earlier this season they clapped us off the pitch, a memory which will live with us.**

**I had six seasons there and was player of the year three times, but I was ambitious and ended up getting moves.**

**We had players like Stan Boules, who went on to QPR, Chris Balderstone, an excellent footballer and cricketer, Dennis Martin and Les O'Neill.**

**Every player moved to a big team, we had a squad of about 16 like we have now.**

**Carlisle are now a team who always seem to be there, they never give up. They are battling away down in sixth position, just behind us, so Saturday's game becomes even more crucial.**

**We want to beat them after a great performance against QPR.**

**Every single player contributed and could have been man-of-the-match, I thought we were outstanding.**

**We deserved to go through but we're hoping to win the replay and go on and play Chelsea, which would be fantastic.**

## LEAGUE ONE TABLE

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| 1 | Charlton | 24 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 26 | 8 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 23 | 11 | 30 | 54 |
| 2 | Sheffield Wed | 24 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 25 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 20 | 21 | 14 | 49 |
| 3 | Huddersfield | 25 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 21 | 11 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 30 | 14 | 26 | 47 |
| 4 | Sheffield Utd | 24 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 29 | 16 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 18 | 47 |
| 5 | MK DONS | 24 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 24 | 13 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 24 | 12 | 23 | 46 |
| 6 | Carlisle | 25 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 23 | 21 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 17 | 17 | 2 | 41 |
| 7 | Stevenage | 24 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 17 | 12 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 16 | 9 | 12 | 38 |
| 8 | Brentford | 25 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 17 | 18 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 14 | 12 | 1 | 36 |
| 9 | Bournemouth | 25 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 10 | 15 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 21 | 17 | -1 | 34 |
| 10 | Bury | 24 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 15 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 18 | 21 | -4 | 34 |
| 11 | Notts County | 24 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 22 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 18 | 23 | 3 | 32 |
| 12 | Colchester | 24 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 22 | 22 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 12 | 16 | -4 | 32 |
| 13 | Hartlepool | 25 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 10 | 16 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 20 | 18 | -4 | 32 |
| 14 | Preston | 24 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 20 | 24 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 17 | 18 | -5 | 32 |
| 15 | Oldham | 24 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 16 | 16 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 16 | 20 | -4 | 31 |
| 16 | Leyton Orient | 25 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 13 | 18 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 14 | 19 | -10 | 31 |
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## VINCE'S VIEW

LIONS CHIEF VINCE MACAULAY: ONLY IN MK NEWS

HELLO all, and welcome to this week's Vince's View, returning after the holiday break.

While we have had the festivities going on the guys have been very busy with the win on Friday on the road at Mersey Tigers then the most pulsating of games on Sunday against the table topping Newcastle Eagles, that particular game being shown on Sky Sports.

Mike and the players have worked really hard and I believe we are now seeing the result of this in the performances, there is a lot more focus.

There are fewer periods of slackness and as a whole the team is trusting each other.

Lions fans have been outstanding with three consecutive sell outs at the Lions' Den.

The noise was particularly intense in that Newcastle encounter with the home fans giving as much as they got to the travelling support and it all made for one of the best atmospheres we have ever had.

This weekend we are not in action so we will travel to the National Indoor Arena in Birmingham to watch the BBL Cup Final which is being played between Newcastle Eagles and Plymouth Raiders.

Aside from having our players Stefan Gill and Ishmael Fontaine in the dunk contest it will also serve to show the players the big games that we need to be playing in.

Our next action will be on the road in Leicester on January 21 before we return home to face the Durham Wildcats on January 27.

Our BBL Trophy semi-final is fast approaching, the first leg at home to Plymouth is on February 3 and then the away trip follows two days later.

Do purchase your tickets early for this, it would also be terrific to take a strong away contingent with us to Plymouth.

For now, enjoy the New Year, I wish you all the best and I'll be back next week.

I leave you with this week's nugget: "Bitterness is like cancer, it eats upon the host. But anger is like fire, it burns it all clean" – Maya Angelou.

# New-cleus is top ambition for Lions

**MIKE NEW wants what Sunday night's conquerers Newcastle Eagles have – a core nucleus of players.**

The Lions head coach saw his team go down 96-91 in front of a jam-packed home arena and then admitted that he admired the current British Basketball League leaders.

Newcastle – who are in the BBL Cup final and have played games in Europe this year – are established as one of the teams to beat.

They got the job done against Lions even without key man Joe Chapman and New certainly knows why they are so successful.

Speaking after the game, he said: "Newcastle are a really tough team and they've got a really strong nucleus of players, even without their top player. That nucleus carried them a long way.

"That's what we're trying to build here, get a good strong nucleus and continuity even when one or two players are out."

Lions started strongly and led 40-34 in the second quarter, but a 15-4 burst from the Eagles gave them a half-time lead which they didn't relinquish.

Newcastle were then slightly ahead of the game for most of the contest and held onto their lead until the final buzzer, despite Lions reducing the gap to just six with little more than a minute left on the clock.

Defensively things were not as solid as New would have liked and key baskets failed to drop at key moments of the game.

"I think our guys played really hard, and the intensity was excellent," he said.

**Mersey Tigers 80 Lions 87**
**Lions 91 Newcastle Eagles 96**

**Dan Northern slams home** Picture: Ellie Merridale

"But when your shots don't fall your defence has to remain a constant and that's what ours wasn't.

"We gave away too many easy baskets for my liking but I'm not worried about the guys as they shoot those shots all day, every day. Your shots are going to come and go."

Demarius Bolds – who leads the BBL in points and steals – was again man-of-the-match for Lions with a 29-point haul.

There was better news for New on Friday night with a 87-80 win away at Mersey Tigers, their first win in three BBL outings

Lions were 66-61 behind going into the last quarter but they chipped away at their hosts before Adrien Sturt gave them the lead at 77-76.

Some strong defensive work kept Mersey scoreless for more than four minutes and Lions stretched ahead, but Tigers roared back to reduce the gap to a point inside the last minute.

Bolds settled Lions however who forced themselves over the line – Howard Crawford top scoring with 20 points.

ICE HOCKEY

# Lightning targeting the top spot

**Lightning 7 Telford Tigers 2**
**Bracknell Bees 3 Lightning 5**

MK LIGHTNING are gearing up for a huge match-up with Guildford Flames this Saturday – and know that a victory will see them go top of the league.

There were back-to-back wins for Nick Poole's side this weekend after another excellent two days, and now the goal is to rise to the summit of the English Premier League table.

Lightning briefly tasted the feeling of leading the way earlier in the season but they then fell away after a run of inconsistent results.

Guildford currently sit on top but with the city skaters breathing down their necks in second, it's all to play for in the big clash at Planet Ice.

If Lightning need any inspiration for the game then they only need to look back to New Year's Day when the Flames were thrashed 6-2 on their own ice thanks to a dominant MK performance.

Netminder Alex Mettam, currently the best performing stopper in the league, is keen for a repeat of the performance which started 2012 with a bang.

He said: "We had a great game in their barn on New Year's Day, everyone played really well and we want a repeat of that this Saturday.

"On New Year's Day we made the most of our chances to score, got a big goal on the powerplay, we were smart defensively clearing our zone, and we were well-disciplined, not taking too many penalties."

Guildford are without a win in 2012 having lost 6-4 to Swindon on Saturday and they were also well beaten by Basingstoke Bison on New Year's Eve, but Mettam is still expecting a tough encounter.

"Playing Guildford is never easy, they have a lot of firepower, which is why they've been at the top of the table for so long this season," he said.

"And after losing three games on the bounce they'll be determined to put things right."

This weekend started superbly for Lightning with a huge 7-2 home victory over Telford Tigers, a remarkable scoreline after the visitors had claimed a shock 2-0 lead within five first period minutes.

Leigh Jamieson kick-started the recovery after 31 minutes and the scores were quickly level with player coach Poole finding the target.

Lightning found themselves on a powerplay when Ryan Selwood sat out a penalty for holding an opponent's stick, and with six seconds of the advantage left, Lukas Zatopek and Adam Carr set up Poole for a vital third.

The scoring was far from finished and Juraj Graick found the target a minute into the final period, before a superb strike from Carr stretched the lead.

**Adam Brittle on the puck against Telford** Picture: Jez Tibbetts

A now demoralised Telford conceded two more in the final stages as a relentless Lightning surged in on goal – Jamieson bagged a second and Blaz Emersic completed the rout with only 38 seconds on the clock.

On Sunday the win was followed up with an impressive 5-3 victory away at Bracknell Bees, with three late goals in the final period from Emersic, Carr and Jamieson proving crucial after the home side had been 3-2 ahead.

Lightning were also behind at 1-0 and 2-1 so showed great spirit to battle back on more than one occasion in the entertaining contest.

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### RUGBY UNION

**Marlborough 3 Milton Keynes 66**
THERE was a great start to 2012 for MK who comfortably saw off bottom club Marlborough in the Southern Counties North.

City didn't play their best rugby but still managed to grab nine tries, all of which were converted by the boot of Phil Powell.

A hat-trick of tries from Dan Rolfe, two from Richard Hill and scores by Harry Holman, Neil Haynes and Dave Brown were too much for Marlborough who also conceded a penalty try.

The best move of the match came from a flowing move between the forwards and backs resulting in Hill's second try of the game.

With the four clubs above MK also winning, City remain fifth in the table.

**Bletchley 19 Witney 18**
BLETCHLEY just edged out Witney in a tight contest at Manor Fields.

Tim Stobbs went over to give Bletchley an 8-6 lead in the first half but disaster looked to have struck when Witney went over in the second thanks to an intercepted pass.

The visitors led 18-14 but a Bletchley maul five metres from the line allowed Adam Dempsey to charge over late on.

**Buckingham 10 Olney 25**
THERE was a bonus point victory for Olney after a strong all-round performance.

Tom Dolemore scored two tries and Pat Leahy also went over to complete a victory over the only side they have defeated in the current league campaign.

### MK MARATHON

IT IS not too late to enter for the city's first ever marathon on April 29.

More than 3,500 runners have already signed up including entries from Germany and the USA.

The marathon's course takes in parks and lakes in the city before finishing at stadiummk.

If you are interested in getting into training for the race visit www.miltonkeynesmarathon.co.uk.

### BADMINTON

THE city's badminton stars are setting their sights on the English National Championships, to be held between February 3-5.

MK resident Rajiv Ouseph has his sights set on a record five consecutive men's singles titles and Commonwealth bronze medalist Liz Cann is searching for a fifth women's title.

Chris Adcock and Andrew Ellis start as favourites in the men's doubles, while Jenny Wallwork and Gabby White and Mariana Agathangelou and Heather Olver will battle it out in the women's doubles

Wallwork will also compete in the hotly contestd mixed doubles and with Nathan Robertson will be gunning for a hat-trick of titles.

Robertson also won four titles with Gail Emms, but they face a challenge from Adock and White.

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Lightning hope to top the pile – page 71

# Don't mention Chelsea

BY DAN PALMER

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**DONS are just 90 minutes away from a dream FA Cup clash with Premier League giants Chelsea but Karl Robinson is refusing to let his mind wander.**

His side will welcome the Blues to stadiummk if they can get past QPR in Tuesday's FA Cup replay, after the two sides could not be separated at the first time of asking.

Robinson's men deserved to win that game and were unlucky with some big refereeing decisions which wrongly went against them, so there will be a sense of frustration that the glamour fourth round tie is not already set in stone.

But with the prospect of the huge occasion looming on the horizon Robinson is not thinking past Saturday's league fixture with Carlisle, which he has described as one of the toughest tests of the season so far.

The Cumbrians, who sit one place behind Dons in sixth, are bang in form and unbeaten in seven.

"We beat Carlisle, we beat QPR and we play Chelsea, it's got a nice ring to it," Robinson said.

"We've got a wonderful tie set up against QPR which looks like it will be another full house, but we've got to put that to bed and concentrate on playing Carlisle.

"Our objective is to bring Premier League football to this stadium and this is the fifth Premier League team we've played in 18 months.

"It's been fantastic for us and we really enjoy the challenge and the gauntlets that are thrown down, we're very proud that we can keep replicating these performances against the big teams.

"But I'd much rather talk about Carlisle as I don't want to be disrespectful to them."

There will be a new man in the QPR dugout for the Loftus Road replay as Neil Warnock was sensationally sacked on Sunday after the 1-1 stalemate.

Former Man City and Fulham boss Mark Hughes has already been appointed as his replacement and his first home game in charge will be the cup replay.

Robinson said: "On Saturday I asked Neil some questions about how to go about things, he was very open and honest but he then lost his job.

"It had no relevance to the performance against us and we have to make sure we go there and play our usual game.

"We wish the new manager luck, but we hope that his luck doesn't start until after we've played them."

Dons turned on the style against QPR and Karl Robinson was able to take his place on the touchline. It was to be the last game in charge for QPR boss Neil Warnock. More inside Picture: Andy Handley.

## Robbo hopes to bring new man in by Saturday

KARL Robinson is hoping to have sealed his first signing of the January transfer window before Saturday's home game with Carlisle.

The 31-year-old boss is hunting for new players and wants to inject his side with 'pace and goals'.

Two clubs have already been approached about the availability of their players and Robinson will be watching one of his targets this week in the hope of having him in the squad by the weekend.

He has not ruled out spending money but hinted on Saturday that the loan market was something being looked at closely.

Players on the fringes of the Dons squad are also likely to be given spells on loan as Robinson looks to bring some freshness to the team.

The current squad are understood to know who the manager's targets are.

Meanwhile, Robinson believes that he does not have to worry about any of his stars leaving stadiummk during the window.

He said: "I think they all want to stay, they all want to play in the Championship together.

"It shows how happy they all are."

Out-of-favour striker Lewis Guy has already left the club after his contract was cancelled by mutual consent.

The 26-year-old has spent two spells on-loan at Oxford United this season but hasn't broke into the Dons squad.

Head of recruitment Paul Mitchell has also left for a new job at Southampton.

## We can go to Loftus Road and win says goal hero Bowditch

**DONS will approach Tuesday night's FA Cup replay at Queens Park Rangers with absolutely no fear according to Saturday's goalscorer Dean Bowditch.**

**The club's summer signing looked set to grab the headlines after his second half strike put Dons on course for a famous scalp against Premier League opposition.**

**But the 1-0 lead was lost in heartbreaking circumstances late on and now another impressive 90 minutes are needed in the replay.**

**Facing QPR at their Loftus Road home is a much tougher prospect on paper and many neutrals will believe that Dons' chances in the third round tie have been and gone.**

**Bowditch, however, takes heart from Saturday's superb performance and sees no reason why it can't be repeated in West London.**

**The showing was so strong that QPR's England capped full-back Luke Young told the wide man that Dons didn't deserve what had happened.**

**"We've got no fear whatsoever," Bowditch said.**

**"We are going to go there and do hopefully what we did to Norwich and dominate them, we showed on Saturday that we can dominate a team in the Premier League.**

**"That was probably one of the best performances of the season, against a team like QPR we had to be at our best and we didn't deserve what we got in the end.**

**"We'll pick ourselves up as we were quite disappointed after the game, we'll have to go there and hopefully get a result.**

**"Everyone's absolutely gutted but when you step back from it we've competed with a Premier League side, if not done better than them."**

**Bowditch added that playing in front of a much larger crowd gave the players a boost and fuelled ambition for promotion and more occasions like it in the future.**

**He said: "It was great to see and the support was fantastic, we want to go to clubs with capacities of 30,000 to 40,000, that's what we're trying to achieve."**